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## Births.

HELLYER.—July 15, at her residence, Macdonaldtown, the wife of H. J. Hellyer, of a son.

SPOONER.—July 23, at Trinity Rectory, Brisbane, the wife of Rev. J. Spooner, of a daughter.

## Marriages.

STAYNES—COLDWELL.—July 29, at St. Philip's Church, Sydney, by the Rev. J. D. Langley, Arthur Harry Staynes, late of Leicester, England, to Charlotte Coldwell, of Worcester, England.

SWETE—FOOKS.—June 27, at Bexley Church of England, by the Rev. C. J. Byng, Richmond Lennox Swete to Sarah Harriet, fourth daughter of G. Fooks, Esq., of Rockdale.

## Deaths.

CAMERON.—July 30, at old Government House, Parramatta, Daniel Cameron, eldest son of the late Archibald Cameron, of Ballymoney, Ireland.

ELLIS.—At St. Vincent's Hospital, 27th July, Lucretia Ellis, wife of Solomon Ellis, leaving a sorrowing husband and seven children to mourn their loss.

MACKENZIE.—At Johannisberg, Natal, South Africa, on the 17th June, John Russell, architect, youngest son of the late Malcolm Mackenzie, Esq., of Friendville, near Aberdeen, Scotland, and beloved brother of Rev. P. Falconer Mackenzie, Annandale.

SHIELD.—July 30, 1889, at the residence of his son-in-law, 18, Denham-street, Glebe, Robert Shield, aged 70 years.

SOLOMON.—July 30, at her residence, 205, Albion-street, Surry Hills, Frances, relict of the late L. S. Solomon, in her 67th year.

WILLERSDORF.—July 30, accidentally drowned at Cook's River, Henry August Willersdorf, nephew of W. Keil, grocer, Stanmore-road, aged 22 years. Highly respected by all who knew him.

## In Memoriam.

AUSTIN.—In sad and loving remembrance of our dear mother, Annie M. Austin, who departed this life July 31, 1885. Inserted by her loving sons, James, Arthur, and Moffitt.

AUSTIN.—In sad and loving remembrance of our dear mother, Annie M. Austin, who departed this life July 31, 1885. Inserted by her loving daughters, Rose, Essie, and Mary.

GILLHAM.—In fond and loving memory of my dearly-beloved father, George Gillham, who departed this life on July 31, 1887, at his late residence, Holt-street, Strawberry Hills, Sydney. Inserted by his loving daughter, C. Joseph.

GRAY.—In loving memory of my dear husband, Andrew Gray, who departed this life at his residence, Audley House, Redfern-street, Redfern, July 31, 1888, aged 55 years. Inserted by his loving wife.

HAYES.—In fond remembrance of my dear mother, Rebekah Hayes, who died at her late residence, Webb-street, North Shore, July 31, 1885, aged 62 years. Dead but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving daughter, Rebekah Adamson.

## Shipping.

**DIRECT SERVICE TO ENGLAND.**

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The Company's Royal Mail Steamships (under contract with the Imperial, New South Wales, Victorian, and South Australian Governments) will be despatched from their Wharf, Circular Quay, as under, for LONDON, calling at Melbourne, Adelaide, Albany, Colombo, Aden, Brindisi, Malta, Gibraltar, and Plymouth:—

| Steamer. | Tons. | Commander. | Leave Sydney 1 p.m. | Leave Melbourne. | Leave Adelaide. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Britannia | 6257 | G. N. Hector | Aug. 3 | Aug. 9 | Aug. 12 |
| *Valetta | 4919 | R. F. Briscoe | Aug. 17 | Aug. 23 | Aug. 26 |
| Victoria | 6268 | G. F. Cates | Aug. 31 | Sep. 6 | Sep. 9 |
| Ballaarat | 4748 | E. Ashdown | Sep. 14 | Sep. 20 | Sep. 23 |
| Parramatta | 4771 | R. G. Murray | Sep. 28 | Oct. 4 | Oct. 7 |
| Rosetta | 3525 | G. W. Brady | Oct. 12 | Oct. 18 | Oct. 21 |

* Not calling at Colombo.

And thenceforth every alternate week.

RESERVED CABINS ON MODERATE TERMS.

SALOON PASSENGERS MAY BREAK THE JOURNEY.

The arrangements for SECOND SALOON PASSENGERS having been thoroughly reorganised, the accommodation now offered is unsurpassed.

Passage money can be paid here for passages from England. Liberal concessions made to families.

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For all information apply at the Company's Offices, 247, George-street.

A. MACLEAN, Acting Agent.

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ENGLAND by P. and O. ROYAL MAIL STEAMER BRITANNIA.

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RETURN TICKETS, £54 to £115.

Apply as above.

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The following Royal Mail Steamships belonging to the ORIENT and PACIFIC COMPANIES will leave Sydney at 1 p.m. on the undermentioned dates for PLYMOUTH and LONDON, via Melbourne, Adelaide, Albany, Colombo, and the Suez Canal, calling at Naples and Gibraltar:—

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| *GARONNE | 3876 tons | W. E. White | August 10 |
| *CUZCO | 3918 „ | J. H. F. Nixon | August 24 |
| ORIENT | 5386 „ | J. R. Ridler | Sept. 7 |
| *LUSITANIA | 3825 „ | A. Tillett | Sept. 21 |

And fortnightly thereafter.

Steamers marked * will not call at Colombo.

SALOON PASSENGERS allowed to break their journey.

ENTIRE CABINS reserved on most liberal terms.

PASSAGE MONEY—
Saloon, £35, £65, and £70
Second, £30 and £37

Third and Steerage (including bedding, mess utensils, &c.)—
Open berths ... 17 guineas each adult
Four-berth cabin ... 20 pounds each adult
Two-berth cabin ... 22 pounds each adult.

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REDUCTION OF THIRD-CLASS AND STEERAGE FARES FROM LONDON.—Facilities are now afforded for bringing out friends and relatives by the prepayment of passage money here at the following reduced rates, steamer providing bedding:—
Open berths ... 17 guineas each adult
Four-berth cabin ... 20 pounds each adult
Two-berth cabin ... 22 pounds each adult.

MANAGERS: F. GREEN and CO., and ANDERSON, ANDERSON, and CO., Fenchurch-avenue, London, E.C.

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OVERLAND ROUTE TO ENGLAND, VIA SAN FRANCISCO AND NEW YORK, CALLING AT AUCKLAND AND HONOLULU.

Avoiding alike the heat of the Red Sea and cold of Cape Horn.

Under Contract with the Postmasters-General of New South Wales and New Zealand, the Steamers of this line are appointed to leave Sydney and Auckland for Honolulu and San Francisco EVERY FOUR WEEKS, sailing as under:—

| Steamer. | Tns | Commander. | Leave Sydney at 4 p.m. | Arrive at San Francisco. |
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| Zealandia | 3000 | Van Oterendorp | August 7 | August 31 |
| Alameda | 3000 | H. G. Morse | Sept. 4 | Sept. 28 |

Each steamer carries a duly qualified surgeon.

These steamers are fitted with electric light, and with a refrigerating chamber for ship's provisions, ensuring a plentiful supply of ice throughout the voyage.

Passengers are booked to San Francisco or through to European destinations, and have at San Francisco choice of the unrivalled Atlantic Steamship Line of the Cunard, Inman, White Star, and other Companies.

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THROUGH FARE TO LIVERPOOL;
FIRST-CLASS ... £63 to £66.

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TEKAPO, 2350 tons, SATURDAY, August 3, at 1 p.m., for Wellington, Lyttelton, and Dunedin, transhipping to outports.

FROM MELBOURNE.

ROTOMAHANA, 1777 tons, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, July 31, at 2 p.m., via Bluff.

Offices—15, Bridge-street. Wharf—Margaret and Sussex streets.

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**MESSRS. THOS. COOK and SON**, 4, Hunter-street, Tourists and General Passenger Agents, will be pleased to give quotations for passages to any part of the World on application.

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Steamers under postal contract with the Government of France, calling at MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, MAHE, SUEZ, and PORT SAID.

Passengers booked to KURRACHEE, BOMBAY, MAURITIUS, and EAST COAST of AFRICA.

The service is carried on by powerful steamers of 4000 tons and 3000 effective h.p., built expressly for the Australian and New Caledonian line, which will be despatched as follows:—

| Steamers. | Commander. | Leave Sydney at 11 a.m. | Leave Melbourne 4 p.m. |
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| OCEANIEN | Didier | Aug. 25 | Aug. 28 |
| SYDNEY | Pellegrin | Sept. 25 | Sept. 28 |
| SALAZIE | Boulard | Oct. 25 | Oct. 28 |

And thenceforward on the 25th of each month.

Rates of passage-money to Marseilles from £20 to £65, including table wines and Suez Canal dues on passengers.

RETURN TICKETS issued at the following rates:—

| | First Class. | Second Class. | Third Class. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Available 9 months | £105 | £64 | £34 |
| Available 12 months | £115 | £68 | £36 |

English interpreters meet through passengers for London on arrival of steamers at Marseilles, and accompany them to Paris and Calais.

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IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL.

Passengers are carried according to the requirements of the English Passenger Acts of 1855 and 1863.

MONTHLY LINE OF DIRECT STEAMERS
from
SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, and ADELAIDE,
to SOUTHAMPTON, ANTWERP, and BREMEN, via COLOMBO, Aden, Suez, and Genoa,
taking passengers for London,
connecting from PORT SAID by DIRECT MAIL and PASSENGER LINE to BRINDISI,
will be despatched as follows (if practicable):—

| Steamer. | Commander. | Leave Sydney, noon. | Leave Melbourne. | Leave Adelaide Semaphore. |
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| | | 1889. | 1889. | 1889. |
| Nurnberg | H. Engelbart | Aug. 14 | Aug. 17 | Aug. 20 |
| Habsburg | G. Thumann | Sept. 11 | Sept. 14 | Sept. 17 |
| Salier | C. Thalenhorst | Oct. 9 | Oct. 14 | Oct. 17 |

And thereafter every four weeks.

PASSAGE MONEY from SYDNEY,
£14 to £57 10s.

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WILCANNIA,
H. G. Thomas, commander,
will be despatched on SATURDAY next.

For freight and passage apply to
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GILCHRIST, WATT and CO. } Agents.

Cargo received at the Central Wharf.

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Steam to
THURSDAY ISLAND, PORT DARWIN, HONGKONG, calling at Moreton Bay, Townsville, and Cooktown, catching steamer at Port Darwin to take cargo for the M'ARTHUR RIVER, without delay.

Steamship CHANGSHA, 2300 tons,
will be despatched from Smith's Wharf, Miller's Point,
on
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 A.M. SHARP.

SECOND CABIN accommodation is in the POOP.

The steamers are fitted with a HASLAM'S PATENT REFRIGERATOR, ensuring a supply of FRESH PROVISIONS and ICE throughout the voyage; an advantage offered by no other steamers running to Hongkong.

EXPERIENCED SURGEON is carried.

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**CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, Limited.**

For HONGKONG DIRECT.

Steamship CHINGTU, 2300 tons,

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will be despatched from the Company's Wharf, Miller's Point, on SATURDAY, 3rd August, at noon.

SPLENDID PASSENGER ACCOMMODATION.

SALOON PASSENGERS booked through to ALL PORTS in CHINA and JAPAN, also to SAN FRANCISCO, LIVERPOOL, LONDON, and the CONTINENT of EUROPE.

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**HUDDART, PARKER, and CO.'S LINE.**

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

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| BURRUMBEET | SATURDAY, August 3 | at 12 noon |
| ELINGAMITE | SATURDAY, August 10 | at 12 noon |

The splendid steel steamship BURRUMBEET, 4000 tons, will leave Huddart Parker's Wharf, foot of Margaret-street, on SATURDAY NEXT, 3rd AUGUST, at noon, for MELBOURNE.

The BURRUMBEET and ELINGAMITE
were specially built for this trade,
and they have splendid passenger accommodation,
Electric Lighting, roomy and Promenade Deck.

Fore-cabin passengers are provided with bedding, and victualled.

RETURN TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR SIX MONTHS.

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From Huddart Parker's Wharf.

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| THURSDAY, August 1 | MEEINDERRY | at 9 p.m. |
| FRIDAY, August 2 | COOMONDERRY | at 9 p.m. |
| MONDAY, August 5 | MEEINDERRY | at 9 p.m. |

Taking cargo for all Shoalhaven ports on Mondays and Fridays, and Berry only on Thursdays.

No cargo received after 5 p.m. on day of sailing.

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From Tasmanian Wharf, Sussex-street, near Margaret-street.

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FROM MELBOURNE:

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For HOBART—FLORA, TUESDAY, August 6, at noon.

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No cargo received within an hour of sailing. Time table published every month.

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WOLLONGONG—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m.; Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, noon (passengers only).

KIAMA—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m.

SHOALHAVEN—Tuesday, Friday, 11 p.m.

ULLADULLA—Wednesday, 5 p.m. (passengers and cargo), Friday, noon, cargo 11 a.m.

CLYDE (BATEMAN'S BAY)—Friday, noon.

MORUYA—Friday, noon.

MERIMBULA—Wednesday, Saturday, noon.

TATHRA (for BEGA)—Wednesday, Saturday, noon.

EDEN—Wednesday, Saturday, noon, cargo 11 a.m.

BERMAGUI—Wednesday, Saturday, noon; cargo 11 a.m.

TO AND FROM WOLLONGONG:
Saloon, 5s; return, 7s 6d. Steerage, 2s 6d.

TO AND FROM KIAMA:
Saloon, 7s 6d; return, 11s. Steerage, 4s.
Meals provided at moderate rates.

TO AND FROM SHOALHAVEN:
Saloon, 15s; return, 22s 6d. Steerage, 10s.
Meals and sleeping berths provided free of charge.

Shippers are respectfully informed that in consequence of great delay to passengers NO CARGO will be received within ONE hour of sailing.

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BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited, book Passengers and Cargo by their various steamer Agencies to the following places:—

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| TO ALL QUEENSLAND, PORTS, MELBOURNE, NOUMEA, FIJI, NEW HEBRIDES, &c. | By A. U. S. N. Co. See special advertisement. |
| TO ENGLAND and the Continent, BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, and all EASTERN PORTS | By British India S. N. Co.'s steamers sailing monthly from Brisbane, via Queensland ports. |
| TO CALCUTTA AND ALL INDIAN PORTS | By British India S. N. Co.'s steamers sailing monthly from Sydney. |
| TO AND FROM CHINA AND JAPAN, AND OCCASIONALLY TO ENGLAND | By Gibb Line of Steamers. |

Numerous connections with other lines enable BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited, to book passengers by various routes, full particulars of which can be ascertained by application at the offices of the Company, Bridge-street, Sydney; or at the branch agencies throughout Queensland.

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Under contract with the Government of New South Wales, New Caledonia, and Queensland for the conveyance of mails. These well-known high-class Passenger Steamers will be despatched as follows from A. U. S. N. Company's Wharf, Sussex and Margaret streets:—

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|---|---|---|
| MELBOURNE Wharf direct | Quiraing | Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 2 |
| BRISBANE | Maranoa | Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 6 |
| Ditto | Eurimbla | This Day, 5 p.m., July 31 |
| Ditto | Ranelagh | Friday, 5 p.m., August 2 |
| Ditto | Birksgate | Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 3 |
| Ditto | Barcoo* | Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 6 |
| Ditto | Glanworth | Wedn'day, 5 p.m., Aug. 7 |
| MARYBOROUGH, Tuesday's and Saturday's steamers change at Brisbane | Ranelagh | Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 2 |
| | Birksgate | Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 3 |
| | Barcoo* | Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 6 |
| BUNDABERG, GLADSTONE | Eurimbla | This Day, 5 p.m., July 31 |
| | Glanworth | Wed'day, 5 p.m., Aug. 7 |
| ROCKHAMPTON, Tuesday's and Saturday's steamers change at Keppel Bay | Eurimbla | This Day, 5 p.m., July 31 |
| | Ranelagh | Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 2 |
| | Birksgate | Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 3 |
| | Barcoo | Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 6 |
| | Glanworth | Wed'day, 5 p.m., Aug. 7 |
| MACKAY, BOWEN, TOWNSVILLE, CAIRNS, PORT DOUGLAS and COOKTOWN, Wednesday's steamers change at Brisbane | Eurimbla | This Day, 5 p.m., July 31 |
| | Birksgate | Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 3 |
| | Barcoo* | Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 6 |
| | Glanworth | Wedn'day, 5 p.m., Aug. 7 |
| | Quiraing | Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 10 |
| DUNGENESS, CARDWELL, MOURILYAN, JOHNSTONE R'VR (change at Cleveland Bay) | Eurimbla | This Day, 5 p.m., July 31 |
| THURSDAY I'LD, NORMANTON (nearest port to the Croydon Goldfields), BURKETOWN | Birksgate | Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 3 |
| NOUMEA, SUVA, Fiji, LEVUKA, Fiji | Tenterden | To-mor., 5 p.m., Aug. 1 |
| NEW HEBRIDES | Tenterden | To-mor., 5 p.m., Aug. 1 |
| ADELAIDE | Early steamer | |

* These steamers are fitted with the ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Fore-cabin Passengers are provided with food and bedding.

Return Saloon Tickets are available for six months.

Passengers' Tickets issued by ship's officers charged 5s extra.

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**WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS' (Limited)** Line of Magnificent Fast Steel Steamships.

For MELBOURNE (also see separate advertisement).

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| FRIDAY, August 2, 5 p.m. | BARRABOOL | Richardson |
| TUESDAY, August 6, 4 p.m. | RODONDO | W. Seymour |
| FRIDAY, August 9, 5 p.m. | LEURA | F. Stanford |
| TUESDAY, August 13, 4 p.m. | KONO'WA'RA | G. Smith |

For ADELAIDE, via MELBOURNE.

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| FRIDAY, August 2, 5 p.m. | BARRABOOL | Richardson |
| FRIDAY, August 9, 5 p.m. | LEURA | F. Stanford |

The steamers of this service are the largest engaged in the Adelaide trade.

Passengers by through steamers for Adelaide are maintained on board whilst in Melbourne.

FOR BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, ROCKHAMPTON (also see separate advertisement).

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| FRIDAY, August 2, 5 p.m. | *GAMBIER | R. R. Brown |
| TUESDAY, Aug. 6, 4 p.m. | KONO'WARA | G. Smith |
| FRIDAY, August 9, 5 p.m. | *GABO | John Pain |

FOR MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, Cairns, Bundaberg, Dungeness, Cardwell, Mourilyan Harbour, Geraldton, Russell River, Plantation Creek (also see separate advertisement).

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| FRIDAY, August 2, 5 p.m. | GAMBIER | R. R. Brown |
| TUESDAY, Aug. 6, 4 p.m. | *KONO'WARA | G. Smith |
| FRIDAY, August 9, 5 p.m. | GABO | John Pain |

* Tranship at Brisbane for other ports.

All passengers' tickets issued on board steamers by ships' officers will be charged 5s in excess of the ordinary rate.

RETURN TICKETS are available for SIX months.

Special arrangements for large lines of freight.

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Wharves—Foot of King-street. Offices—67, York-st.

**STEAM to MELBOURNE, and ADELAIDE.**—The fast and favourite S.S. BARRABOOL (T. B. Richardson), will be despatched FRIDAY, August 2, at 5 p.m. The saloon is amidships, reducing the risk of sea-sickness to a minimum. The Barrabool takes passengers right up to the town wharf, without the delay of transhipping at Sandridge.

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THIS COMPANY offers to intending passengers and shippers the quickest and most comfortable means of reaching Melbourne and Adelaide.

THE EXPRESS STEAMERS
of this Company leave Sydney every SATURDAY, as under;
From the Company's Wharf, Lime-street, off Erskine-st.

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| S.S. ADELAIDE | SATURDAY, August 3 | 1 p.m. |
| S.S. VICTORIAN | SATURDAY, August 10 | 1 p.m. |

These steamers have splendid saloon accommodation, make the PASSAGE to MELBOURNE in 12 HOURS less than any OTHER STEAMERS on the coast, and deliver cargo at Port Adelaide in 48 hours less than any other steamer running to South Australia.

Passengers can be booked at the wharf.

Steerage passengers provided with beds and rugs.

STEAM TO WESTERN AND NORTHERN AUSTRALIA, Albany, Vasse, Bunbury, Fremantle (Perth), about every fortnight.

GOODS FOR SILVERTON and BROKEN HILL, QUICKEST AND CHEAPEST ROUTE.

GOODS can be booked by these steamers through to Port Pirie, and forwarded thence by rail by the Company's Agents, if so instructed, or by shipper's own agent.

Goods shipped by Saturday's steamer reach Port Pirie the following Tuesday week, and are then within one day's rail journey of Silverton and Broken Hill. This route saves 80 miles of rail journey, and avoids break of gauge.

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**STEAM TO NEW ZEALAND PORTS.**

The splendid steamer DUPLEIX, 1600 tons, 1250-h.p., will be despatched for New Zealand ports, VIA AUCKLAND, about SATURDAY, AUGUST 8.

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**LEFT** in 6.45 p.m. Woollahra tram, gentleman's black MACINTOSH. Reward, 234, Oxford-st., Pad.

**LOST,** Thursday evening, between Redfern and Ashfield, Black BAG, with book. Return 16, Eliz.-st.

**LOST,** Summer Hill train, PURSE, £2 odd, 1 season steamer, 2 train tickets, rewd. Stationmaster, R'fern.

**LOST,** Tuesday, large Gold BROOCH, large stone middle, initials back. Mrs. Stout, Cowper-st., Waverley.

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**LOST,** Friday, think King-street, Gold Emerald RING; finder lib. rewarded. J. Hurst, 321, George-st.

**LOST,** from Moore Park, July 29, a fox-terrier Slut, white, with black head; reward. 128, Campbell-st., S. H.

**LOST,** Tortoiseshell Purse, in Elizabeth Bay 'bus, on Monday. Reward. 94, Darlinghurst-road.

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**LOST,** on Monday evening, in Marrickville 'bus, black Leather PURSE, containing gold and silver, also key. Reward. Hardman's Biscuit Factory, Newtown.

**LOST,** in Randwick tram, or between King-street and Opera-house, Butterfly BROOCH, with pearls and rubies. Apply 76, Botany-street, Moore Park.

**LOST,** Lady's Gold BRACLET set with pearls, in King-street, between King and Castlereagh streets, £1 reward. Herald Office, King-street.

**LOST,** small oval Gold BROOCH, monogram E. H. D. engraved thereon, at Criterion Theatre, Thursday last. Reward, Imperial Hotel, Wynyard-square.

**LOST,** between Frazer-road and Petersham Railway Station, Lady's FUR BOA. Reward if returned to Gerryvale, Marrickville.

**LOST,** Fox-terrier PUP, black ears and black spot on tail, leather collar (with brass mounting) on neck. Reward. Alex. M'Leod, 40, Regent-street, Paddington.

**LOST,** Black BAG, containing books, photos., &c., left in 10.5 suburban train Monday night. Reward on returning to Haymarket Building Society, 780, George-street.

**LOST,** Tuesday, 30th, between G. P. O. and Pitt-street, Gold Clasp BANGLE, raised medallion centre. Anyone bringing same to 187, Macquarie-street, will be handsomely rewarded.

**LOST,** Monday night, between Harris Park and Parramatta, Gold Keyless Waltham WATCH, silver chain attached, supposed at cabstand, Parramatta Railway Station. Reward, Mrs. Rowland, Industrial School, P'matta.

**LOST,** on Saturday, at Burwood, either on the Burwood-road or Queen-street, PACKET containing Brooches (two gold, one silver). Reward on returning to GREEN, Jeweller, Burwood-road.

**LOST** at the Elite Skating Rink, on Monday afternoon, Lady's JACKET, brown in colour. Reward on returning to

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**LOST,** 22nd, on way to Coogee, Fox-terrier DOG, face well marked with black and tan, body all white, tail uncut, answers to name of Snap, will beg for food. Finder rewarded at Asche's Royal Hotel, George-street.

**LOST,** Collie DOG, last Sunday afternoon, at Waverley, black with tan points, and rather thin. Finder rewarded, but anyone detaining him after this notice will be prosecuted. Apply 54, York-street, city; or Fairlawn, Nelson's Bay-road, Waverley.

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**TAKEN** from Imperial Hotel, Wynyard-square, black Poncho MACINTOSH, torn velvet collar, gloves in pocket. Please return and oblige.

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**NEWTOWN** Wesleyan Mutual Advancement Association.—Popular Lecture entitled "MARKS, BRANDS, and SIGNS," or "Alcoholic Nomenclature and its Lessons," by F. S. DYER, in the Newtown Wesleyan School Hall, THIS EVENING, Wednesday, 31st July, 1889.

Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock by Joseph Abbott, Esq., M.P.

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**THE PUBLIC DEBATE,** on Baptism, between Rev. George Sutherland and J. F. Floyd, Evangelist, will be continued in the Protestant Hall, July 31, beginning at 7.45 o'clock. Subject for THIS EVENING (concluded): "The Scriptures teach that sprinkling or pouring water on a proper subject is Christian Baptism." Mr. Sutherland affirms. Admission 6d, to defray expenses. Chairman—Alfred Allen, Esq., M.L.A. Everybody invited to hear this discussion. The Debate Closes This Evening. Come and hear.

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The FIFTH of the Winter course of Lectures will be delivered in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, on WEDNESDAY, July 31st (TO-DAY), at 3 p.m., by
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3. BANK HANDICAP, to start at 3.10 p.m.
4. SOVEREIGN HANDICAP, to start at 3.50 p.m.
5. STEWARDS' MILE, to start at 4.25 p.m.

SPECIAL TRAINS will run at 12.20 p.m. and 12.50 p.m. ORDINARY TRAINS at 12.5 p.m., 12.35 p.m., 1.5 p.m., 1.35 p.m., and 2.5 p.m.
Professional Trainers and Jockeys will be admitted to the Paddock on production of their A. J. C. passes.
M. SEALE, Secretary.
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FINAL HEAT will start at 10 p.m.

THE STARTS
for the
AUGUST HANDICAP
will appear on
FRIDAY, 2nd instant.
J. O'DONNELL, Secretary.

SIR JOSEPH BANKS' £100 HANDICAP, RUN MONDAY and WEDNESDAY NEXT, AUGUST 5th and 7th.

Acceptances close at Burrangong Hotel, FRIDAY NIGHT, August 2nd.
FRANK SMITH, Proprietor.

TO-MORROW, August 1, Bank Holiday, Railway C. C. hold Second Annual Excursion at Chowder Bay. Dancing, skating. Pyrmont Band. K. A. Skinner and Co. provide skates. Steamers from Floating Jetty every ½ hour from 10 o'clock. Cricket, Quoits, Football. Hot and Cold Water Free. First and best Picnic of the season. H. C. Hoyle.

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SYDNEY RUGBY TEAM.

Gates opened at 2 p.m. Game commences at 3 p.m. Admission to Ground, 6d; Grandstand, 6d extra. Members must produce their tickets at the gates. By order of the trustees.
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All the leading Clubs competing.

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BOHEMIAN GIRL,
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THIS (Wednesday) NIGHT, JULY 31,
THE
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late of Williamson, Garner, and Musgrove's Comic Opera Company.
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The Opera produced under the personal direction
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MONDAY, August 5,
First appearance of the Prince of Comedians,
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ENTRIES for "DOCTOR'S" £10 HANDICAP close August 1st., 335, George-street, opposite G. P. O. To be run at the Eureka Picnic at Chowder Bay August 5th. Acceptances received on the ground by Doctor.

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HIGH-CLASS PIANOS, great bargains, Ronisch, Lipp, Carl Ecke, &c., £30. 316, Bourke-st., nr Oxford-st.

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RE-APPEARANCE ON NEXT MONDAY NIGHT
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Mr. EDWIN LAWLER.

MASONIC BALL.
LODGE SYDNEY TARBOLTON, No. 11, U. G. L., N. S. W., will hold their SIXTH ANNUAL BALL, under the patronage of the Most Worshipful the GRAND MASTER, at Leigh House, 231, Castlereagh-street, on WEDNESDAY, August 7, 1889.
Tickets—Double, 21s; Gent.'s, 12s 6d; Ladies', 10s 6d. To be had of all Music Warehouses; Holdsworth's, George-street; Goulston's, Market-street; also from
F. WASHER, Hon. Sec., 231, Macquarie-st.
R. MOODY, Hon. Treas., 79, Foveaux-st.

NOTICE TO SHOOTERS.
TRACEY v. GANNON.
£100 one barrel match.
Frankfort Park, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock sharp.
Usual Sweep Shooting to follow.
JOHN SPIER PARIS, Secretary.

SURRY UNITED CRICKET CLUB.
ANNUAL SOCIAL will be held at West's Rooms, Castlereagh-street, on TUESDAY EVENING, August 6th, 1889. Dancing to commence at 8 p.m. Music by L. De Groen's band. Tickets: Double, 10s 6d; gent.'s, 7s 6d; ladies', 5s.
GEO. SCHACHTEL, Hon. Sec.

DANCING ACADEMY, NITHSDALE,
167, Liverpool-street.
THE NITHSDALE PRIVATE ASSEMBLY will take place THIS EVENING, July 31st.

DANCING.—Mr. A. READ, Professor. Strictly private class for ladies and gentlemen beginners this afternoon at half-past 3, and 8 o'clock this evening. Private lessons alone, by appointment. 614, George-street.

MISS READ gives thorough instruction on piano, easy method, quick progress. 247, Crown-street.

CANTERBURY PARK RACES,
TO-MORROW, August 1, Bank Holiday.

## Religious Announcements.

PITT-STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
SOCIAL MEETING, in the Church,
THIS (Wednesday) EVENING, at 7.30.
Programme of Select Music, &c. Admission, 1s.

## Government Railways.

HAWKESBURY RIVER, 1st AUGUST, 1889.
On the above date Special Trains will run as under:—
Sydney—Dept. 9.55 a.m. | Hawkesbury—Dept. 6.25 p.m.
Hawkesbury—Arr. 11.20 a.m. | Sydney—Arr. 8.7 p.m.
Return fares: First class, 5s; second class, 3s.

LIVERPOOL RACES, WEDNESDAY, 31st JULY, 1889.
On the above date Special Trains will run as under:—
Sydney—Dept. 12.0 p.m. | Liverpool—Dept. 4.50 p.m.
Liverpool—Arr. 12.50 p.m. | Sydney—Arr 5.40 p.m.
Return fares: First class, 3s 6d; second class, 2s.
A Special Horse-box Train will leave Sydney at 10.25 a.m., and return from Liverpool at 5.35 p.m.

CLOSING OF THE GOODS WAREHOUSES AT REDFERN and DARLING HARBOUR, and of the CENTRAL BOOKING OFFICE, GEORGE-STREET, on THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST, 1889.
The Goods Warehouses at Redfern and Darling Harbour will not be opened for the receipt and delivery of goods on THURSDAY, 1st August, but the usual arrangements will be made for the delivery of perishables at Darling Harbour, up till 10 a.m.
The Central Booking Office will be open for the despatch of business between the hours of 8 and 10 a.m. only.
DAVID KIRKCALDIE,
Acting Chief Traffic Manager.
Chief Traffic Manager's Office,
Sydney, 29th July, 1889.

The Saloon Steamer GENERAL GORDON will make a special Excursion Trip to the Hawkesbury River in connection with the train leaving Sydney at 9.55 a.m., on THURSDAY, 1st August. Cheap steamers fares, 1s. Refreshments on board at reasonable rates.
H. L. MURRAY, Captain.

Department of Railways, Sydney, July 30, 1889.
TENDERS will be received at the Railway Commissioners' Office until 12 o'clock on MONDAY, the 26th August, from persons willing to contract for the Manufacture and Supply of the following Passenger Rolling Stock, viz.:—
10 first-class BOGIE CARRIAGES (optionally in lots of 5)
8 second-class BOGIE CARRIAGES (optionally in lots of 4)
6 LUGGAGE VANS
Plans, specification, and further particulars can be obtained at the office of the Locomotive Engineer, Milson-street, Eveleigh.
Tenders are to be endorsed "Tender for Redfern Type Carriages."
The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order of the Commissioners.
W. V. READ, Acting-Secretary.

## Government Notices.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, July 30, 1889.
TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.
For conditions see Government Gazette.

| Nature of Works and Supplies. | Dates to which Tenders can be received at this office. |
|---|---|
| Cottage for farm attendant, Hospital for the Insane, Callan Park; Roofing, Hospital for the Insane, Parramatta; Alterations, Lockup, Gaol, Casino; Repairs, &c., Training Ship, Vernon; Bridge, Pound Creek, Tumberumba; Erection of Shed at wharf, Tweed River Heads, and placing Piles. Fresh Tenders. | Wednesday, July 31, at 11 o'clock. |
| Repairs, Fencing, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Booligal; Additions, &c., Bailiff's Cottage, Domain Bridge, Murrumbidgee River, at Narrandera; Bridge, Apsley River, Fitzroy-st., Walcha; Erection of Dispensary, Hospital for Insane, Parramatta; Additions Gaol, West Kempsey. Fresh tenders; Additions Gaol, Wollongong; Hand Punt, Uriarra Ferry, Murrumbidgee River. | Wednesday, August 14, at 11 o'clock. |
| Supply and Erection of Fencing at Prospect; Construction of Dwarf Wall and Iron Railing, Centennial Park; Erection of Dormitory, Training Ship Vernon; Bridge, Lagoon, Porter's Garden, Road Kiama to Shellharbor; Bridge, Mandagery Creek, Road Murga to Parkes; Bridge, Mullet Creek, Road Appin to Kiama; Repairs, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Brewarrina (fresh tenders); Bridge, Wilcannia, Darling River, Ironwork, Contract No. 1. Time extended; Bridge, Wilcannia, Darling River, Erection, Contract No. 2. Time extended; Mortuary, Hospital for the Insane, Newcastle; Additions Wingham Post and Telegraph Office. Fresh tenders; Erection of Lockup at Jugiong; Bridge, Eight Mile Creek, Road Armidale to Grafton; Bridge, Billabong Creek, Road Yathong Railway Station to Nowranie; Additions, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Casino; Fencing, &c., Police Buildings, Young. | Wednesday, August 28, at 11 o'clock. |
| Supply and Erection of Pumping Engines, North Shore. Contract No. 56 | Wednesday, November 6, at 11 o'clock. |

BRUCE SMITH.

(5411) Department of Mines, Sydney, 19th July, 1889.
APPLICATION received in the Department of Mines for permission to mine under roads, &c., &c., under the Mining Act, 1874, section 28.
SYDNEY SMITH.

Date of application, 6th July, 1889; date of receipt of application, 15th July, 1889; name of applicant, E. Abernethy; description of land applied for, Kandie Peak Tank, reserve No. 74, situated 77 miles from Wilcannia, on Mount Brown-road, county Yungnulgra; 20 acres; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for gold.

General Post Office, Sydney, July 30, 1889.
ATTENTION is directed to Gazette Notice inviting Tenders for
The Supply of Telegraph Materials
Tenders will be received up to the 4th September next, and must be addressed to the Secretary to the Post Office, Sydney.
DANIEL O'CONNOR.

Department of Lands, Sydney, 15th July, 1889.
ATTENTION is directed to the Government Gazette of the 2nd instant, calling for objections to an application by DANIEL WALKLEY for permission to recover certain land situated in the county of Cumberland, parish of Petersham, fronting Snail's Bay and Wharf-road.
Objections lodged prior to the 2nd August next will receive consideration.
(Signed) R. H. DE LAW, for the Under Secretary.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.
Sole Lessee and Manager ... ... Mr. GEO. RIGNOLD.
Stage Manager ... ... ... ... Mr. J. W. Hazlitt.
Treasurer ... ... ... ... Mr. C. R. Bailey.

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Miss KATE BISHOP,
in COMEDY,
together with
Mesdames Roland Watts-Phillips, Emily Fitzroy, Mrs. Melville, and Messrs. Stirling Whyte, H. R. Jewett, Joe Tolano, J. W. Sweeney, J. W. Hazlitt.

8.15—Confusion Begins
8.25—Smiles
8.35—Laughter
8.40—Uncontrollable Laughter
8.50—Interval for Recovery
9.15—SECOND ACT
9.20—More Laughter
9.25—Plot Developing
9.30—Shrieks
9.45—Howls
9.50—Convulsions
9.55—Second Interval for Rest
10.10—THIRD ACT.—Confusion
10.15—Confusion worse Confounded
10.20—Hysterics
10.30—Sides Aching.

THE FUNNIEST COMEDY EVER WRITTEN. BRIGHT, SPARKLING, and REFINED.

And home for recovery.
BOX PLAN at Theatre. Prices as usual.
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HER MAJESTY'S and THEATRE ROYAL.

MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 1889.

Under the Distinguished Patronage, and in the presence
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Sir HENRY PARKES, G.C.M.G., and the MEMBERS of the MINISTRY,
His WORSHIP THE MAYOR,
The ALDERMEN of the CITY and PROMINENT CITIZENS,
COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT,
tendered to
Mr. JAMES ALLISON,
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Messrs. BROUGH and BOUCICAULT,
Mr. W. J. WILSON,
Mr. FRANK CLARK,
and
ALL THE LEADING MEMBERS OF THE PROFESSION.

The Benefit will take the form of
A GRAND MATINEE ENTERTAINMENT
at the
THEATRE ROYAL,
the use of which has been kindly granted by
Messrs. WILLIAMSON, GARNER, and MUSGROVE;
and
A GRAND EVENING PERFORMANCE,
in the presence of
HIS EXCELLENCY the GOVERNOR,
at
HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE,
the use of which is kindly given by
MR. GEORGE RIGNOLD.

Full Particulars in Future Advertisements.

The Box Plan for the Matinee is now open at the THEATRE ROYAL,
and in the Vestibule of
HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE
for the
EVENING PERFORMANCE.

J. E. MOORE, JAMES D. COX, Hon. Secs.

## Public Notices.

IN the Will of WILLIAM EDWARD BONES, late of Forest Lodge, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the Estate of WILLIAM EDWARD BONES, the abovenamed deceased, who died on or about the 17th day of May, 1889, and probate of whose Will was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction on the 17th day of June, 1889, to JOHN EDWIN WOODTHORPE, of Bond-street, Sydney, clerk, and JOSEPH KNOX, of Forest Lodge, Sydney, grocer, the Executors named in the said Will, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the said John Edwin Woodthorpe and Joseph Knox, or to the undersigned, THOMAS EDGAR CRESWELL, Proctor, on or before the 11th day of September next, at the expiration of which time the said John Edwin Woodthorpe and Joseph Knox will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which the said John Edwin Woodthorpe and Joseph Knox shall then have had notice, and the said John Edwin Woodthorpe and Joseph Knox will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.
Dated this 26th day of July, 1889.
T. E. CRESWELL,
81, Pitt-street, Sydney,
Proctor for the Executors.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
TAKE NOTICE that I, SAMUEL ALFRED BEEHAG, of Short-street, Rockdale, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Bachelor of Arts, lately serving under Articles of Clerkship to CHARLES BULL, of Elizabeth-street, Sydney, Solicitor, intend to apply on the last day of the present term to be admitted an Attorney, Solicitor, and Proctor of this Honorable Court. Dated this 31st day of July, A.D. 1889.
S. A. BEEHAG.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF DISCHARGE.
In the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in Bankruptcy.—No. 762.
Re WILLIAM CATCHPOLE MINGAY, of Manly Vale, ex parte WILLIAM CATCHPOLE MINGAY.
To the Official Assignee and Creditors.
TAKE NOTICE that I, WILLIAM CATCHPOLE MINGAY intend to apply to his Honor the Judge in Bankruptcy, at the Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on MONDAY, the nineteenth day of August next, at 11 a.m., or as soon afterwards as the course of business will admit, that a Certificate of Discharge be granted to me, under and according to the provisions of the Act 51 Victoria, No. 19.
Dated this 30th day of July, 1889.

ALL CLAIMS against Captain F. S. FIELDING, late Union Company's S. S. FIJIAN, must be sent in before August 10, 1889, to
E. H. P. BAYLEE,
325, Collins-street,
Melbourne.
No claims will be entertained after above date.
By order of the Trustees.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF JOHN THOMAS JONES, of Lewis Ponds, Storekeeper.

All Persons having CLAIMS against the above estate are requested to forward particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before MONDAY, the 5th AUGUST next, otherwise they will be excluded from participating in the distribution of the estate.
CHARLES T. STARKEY,
Chartered Accountant, 93, York-street.
Sydney, July 30, 1889.

Works Department, Roads Branch.
TENDERS are invited up to noon on the 2nd August, for the following Works:—
Erecting a first-class Culvert, Forming, Ballasting, and Blinding of Road, from the Windsor-road to the Model Farm; also two Pipe Culverts.
Erecting a first-class Culvert, Forming, Ballasting, and Blinding, on Murry's-road, leading from Pennant Hills-road to Becroft Station.
Forming, Metalling, and Blinding on Road from Camden Municipality to The Oaks, near the Butter Factory.
Specifications at Court, Parramatta, where tenders are to be delivered to Clerk of Petty Sessions.

SUTHERLAND MEMORIAL.
SUBSCRIPTION LISTS are now ready for issue by the hon. secretaries on application. All subscriptions sent will be immediately acknowledged by the hon. treasurers, SYDNEY BURDEKIN and SYDNEY SMITH. Please address all communications to Town Hall, Redfern; or 195, Macquarie-street.
SYDNEY BURDEKIN.
SYDNEY SMITH.

COLONIAL ARTESIAN WELL-BORING COMPANY, Limited.
Applications to Bore for Water received by
E. W. LAMB,
Managing Director.
Office, No. 1, Bent-street.

TASMANIA.—CITY OF LAUNCESTON.
SCOTT, Mayor.
The MUNICIPAL COUNCIL is prepared to receive, up to the 1st day of September next, offers to Light the City of Launceston by Electricity. The Corporation to have discretionary power to purchase plant, &c., at the expiration of 5 or 10 years.
Any offer not necessarily accepted.
Further particulars can be obtained at the respective offices of the Town Clerks of Sydney, Melbourne, and Launceston.
C. W. ROCHER.
Town Clerk's Office,
8th July, 1889.

EDISON'S MIMEOGRAPH.—This famous duplicating machine is used in Sydney by the Department of Public Instruction, the Water and Sewerage Board, the Borough of Waverley, the Ladies' Typewriting Association, and Messrs. R. Harper and Co., and in the Melbourne Post Office. The process, which is very simple, enables 3000 copies to be taken from one type-written or autograph stencil. Sizes, brief and foolscap. Autograph copying is produced by a pointed stylus without a wheel tip. Perforating silk, stencil paper, and ink supplies. Jas. E. Cunningham, Official Shorthand Writer and Caligraph Agent, Lyndhurst-chambers, Elizabeth-street.

WOODSTOCK FRUIT COMPANY, Limited.
The NEW SEASON'S PACK of this Company's TABLE FRUITS is now ready for SALE.
While the high standard of quality has been fully maintained, the assortment of fruits has been much improved and increased, and the PRICE REDUCED is per dozen.
To be obtained from all grocers and storekeepers throughout New South Wales, or from the sole agent,
NORMAN SHELLEY,
Hardie's-chambers, 22, Hunter-st., Sydney.
Signed WALTER LAMB, Managing Director.

BUILDING SOCIETIES AND INVESTMENT COMPANIES' ASSOCIATION.

The OFFICES of the Undermentioned ASSOCIATED BUILDING SOCIETIES and INVESTMENT COMPANIES will be CLOSED on THURSDAY, the 1st AUGUST, in compliance with the Bank Holidays Act of 1875:—
ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN Investment, Finance, and Land Company, Limited, 24, Hunter-street. BENJAMIN JAMES, Manager.
CITY and COUNTY Investment, Land, and Building Company, Limited, 327, Pitt-street. J. D. WARD, Manager.
CIVIL SERVICE Building Society, 184, Pitt-street. C. H. LYONS, Secretary.
HAYMARKET Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited, 750, George-street. J. W. DUESBURY, Manager.
INTERCOLONIAL Investment, Land, and Building Company, Limited, 96, Bathurst-street. W. J. DOUGLAS, Manager.
LAND COMPANY of Australasia, Limited, corner of Bridge and Pitt streets. GEORGE BAKER WALKER, General Manager.
MERCANTILE Building, Land, and Investment Company, Limited, corner of Park and Castlereagh streets. EDWIN J. C. BRYANT, Manager.
METROPOLITAN MUTUAL Permanent Building and Investment Association, Limited, 65, Market-street. R. W. CONWAY, Manager.
MUTUAL PROVIDENT Land, Investing, and Building Society, Limited, 248A, Pitt-street. E. W. FOXALL, Manager.
NATIONAL Permanent Building and Investment Company, 250, Pitt-street. JAMES A. TODD, Manager.
NEW SOUTH WALES PROPERTY Investment Company, Limited, 4, Park-street. THOMAS HOLDERNESS, Manager.
SYDNEY AND PROVINCIAL Land and Building Company, Limited, 303, Pitt-street. WILLIAM DAVIES, Manager.
SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN Mutual Permanent Building and Land Investment Association, Limited, 114, Pitt-street. SHARPE H. LEWIS, Manager.
SYDNEY PERMANENT Freehold, Land, and Building Society, No. 333, Pitt-street. J. W. BIBBY, Secretary.
TOWN AND COUNTRY Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited, Elizabeth and Bathurst streets. W. ROBSON, Manager.

E. W. FOXALL,
Secretary Building Societies and Investment Companies' Association.
31st July, 1889.

THE OFFICES of the following INSURANCE COMPANIES, Members of the SYDNEY UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION and the FIRE UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION of N. S. W.
WILL BE CLOSED
on
THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST,
that day being a Bank Holiday:—
Alliance Fire Insurance Company of London
Australian Alliance Assurance Company
Australian Mutual Fire Society
Australian Traders' Mutual Insurance Company
Alliance Marine Assurance Company
Australian General Assurance Company
Batavia Insurance Company
British and Colonial Insurance Company
Colonial Mutual Insurance Company
Commercial Union Assurance Company
Cornwall Fire and Marine Insurance Company
City of London Fire Insurance Company
City Mutual Fire Insurance Company
Colonial Insurance of N. Z.
Canton Insurance Company
Derwent and Tamar Company
Equitable Fire and Marine Insurance Association, N. Z.
General Insurance Company of London
Glasgow and London Fire Insurance Company
Globe Marine Company
Hamburg Magdeburg Fire Insurance Company
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company
Imperial Fire Insurance Company
Indemnity Insurance Company
Liverpool, London, and Globe Insurance Company
Lion Fire Insurance Company
London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Company
Mannheim Insurance Company
Mutual Fire and Marine Insurance Company
Mercantile Marine Company of S. A.
North China Company
National Fire and Marine Insurance Company, N. Z.
Netherlands-India Fire Insurance Company
New Zealand Insurance Company
North British and Mercantile Insurance Company
Northern Fire Insurance Company
Norwich Union Fire Office
N. S. W. Assurance Corporation
Ocean Marine Company
Pacific Insurance Company
Phœnix Fire Office
Queen Insurance Company
Royal Insurance Company
Straits Fire Insurance Company
Scottish Union and National Insurance Company
South British Insurance Company, N. Z.
Standard Fire and Marine Company, N. Z.
Sun Fire Office
Southern Insurance Company
Sydney Lloyds
Union Insurance Company, N. Z.
United Insurance Company
United Australian Mutual Insurance Company
Union of Canton
Victoria Fire and Marine Insurance Company.
JAMES ANDERSON, A. T. WILSHIRE, Secretaries.

BANK HOLIDAY, THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST.
MILLS and PILE,
Auctioneers, Land and Estate Agents, Valuators, &c.,
will CLOSE their
SYDNEY AUCTION MART, 130, PITT-STREET,
for the above Holiday.
The sale of forfeited Shares in the Mount Ephraim Gold-mining Co., No Liability, advertised for that day, is POSTPONED to THURSDAY following, the 8th August.
MILLS and PILE, 130, Pitt-street.
July 30, 1889.

PACIFIC FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE CO.
HEAD OFFICE, NO. 1, BENT-STREET.
PUBLIC NOTICE.
THURSDAY, 1st August, being a Bank and Insurance HOLIDAY, this office will be CLOSED.
E. L. MONTEFIORE, Manager.
Sydney, July 30, 1889.

SYDNEY PERMANENT FREEHOLD LAND AND BUILDING SOCIETY.
BANK HOLIDAY.
The OFFICES of the above Society will be CLOSED on THURSDAY, August 1st.
J. W. BIBBY, Secretary.

UNION TERMINATING BUILDING SOCIETY, 59, Market-street.
TO-MORROW, Thursday, 1st August, being a BANK HOLIDAY, the OFFICES of this Society will be CLOSED.
A. E. BUBB, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
THURSDAY NEXT being a Bank Holiday, our OFFICES and SALE-ROOMS will be CLOSED on that day in accordance with our usual custom.
HARDIE and GORMAN.
Bell's-chambers, 133, Pitt-street.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
We beg to give NOTICE that our Establishments will be CLOSED TO-MORROW, Thursday, August 1, and FRIDAY, August 2, for the purpose of STOCKTAKING and Remarking our large Stock of Dress Materials, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Furnishing and General Drapery, &c., preparatory to our
GREAT SEMI-ANNUAL SALE,
which commences on
SATURDAY NEXT, AUGUST 3.
RILEY BROTHERS, 570, George-street.
RILEY BROTHERS, 165, Oxford-street.

ST. JOSEPH'S INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY,
47, Elizabeth-street North.
BANK HOLIDAY.
The Offices of the above will be CLOSED on THURSDAY, August 1, 1889.
E. J. RUBIE, Manager.

THE BURWOOD LAND, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE.
THURSDAY, 1st August, being a BANK HOLIDAY, the Offices of this Company will be CLOSED.
SAMUEL PATRICK, Manager.

THE CITY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.
25 (late 51), Castlereagh-street, Sydney.
THURSDAY, 1st August, being a BANK and INSURANCE HOLIDAY, this Office will be CLOSED.
ROBERT KERR, Manager.
Sydney, July 30, 1889.

MERCANTILE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE.
THURSDAY, 1st August, being a BANK HOLIDAY, the offices of this Company will be CLOSED.
KELSO KING, Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL INVESTMENT and BUILDING COMPANY, Limited, 309, Pitt-street.
In consequence of Thursday, 1st August, being a Bank Holiday, the Offices of the above will be CLOSED on that date.
H. G. SWYNY, Managing Director.

D. HAZLEWOOD, Union-chambers, 70, Pitt-st.
HOUSES Let, RENTS Collected,
ESTATES economically managed, LOANS negotiated.
PROPERTY and SHARES bought and sold. Prompt remittances. N.B.—All business has my personal attention.

TYPEWRITING.—Miss NIGHTINGALE, 14, Post Office-ch., Pitt-st. Copying done, pupils taught.

MOSSMAN'S BAY—Lovely, Picturesque, and most popular Marine Suburb of Sydney.—BOWDEN'S SUBDIVISION, well situated, commanding lovely views, and near ferry, to be sold SATURDAY, August 10, on the ground.
CLARKE and M'INTYRE, Auctioneers.

BARBED WIRE.
The WASHBURN AND MOEN MANUFACTURING CO. hereby give NOTICE that, by an order of Mr. Justice Stirling, dated 31st May, 1889, made in an action in the Chancery Division (Great Britain), Washburn v. Parkes (1889, W. 1568), the defendant was perpetually restrained from infringing the Patents of the plaintiffs herein mentioned for the manufacture of Barbed Wire. And they also give Notice that, for the protection of their Licensees, Messrs. RICHARD JOHNSON and NEPHEW and Messrs. FELTEN and GUILLEAUME, they intend to take prompt and effective proceedings to restrain by injunction all infringements of their British and Australasian Patents, whether by manufacture, sale, importation, or otherwise.
They further give Notice that the validity of the said Letters Patent came in question, and was upheld in an action in the Chancery Division, Great Britain, Washburn v. Patterson (1883, W. No. 807).

THE SYDNEY LADIES' EXCHANGE
and
GENERAL AGENCY,
382, GEORGE-STREET,
6 doors from G. P. O.

We beg to draw the attention of the Ladies of Sydney and its numerous suburbs to the above Agency, established to meet the requirements of a large portion of the community on a more equitable basis than has hitherto obtained here.

Our Intercolonial connection enables us to offer special facilities to those having High-class Board and Residence, Apartments, Furnished Houses, &c., and in no case will this branch of the business be recommended unless personally inspected by a member of the firm. We also wish it to be understood that in no instance will we publish fictitious requirements, which system causes so much dissatisfaction, not to say annoyance, and expense to clients.

It will be the aim of the Manager to thoroughly reform the many abuses at present existing.

We will also be prepared to engage and forward a superior class of Governesses and Domestic Servants to any part of the town, suburbs, and country districts.

A specialty of the new office will be the Exchange Sales, Exchange or Sales effected of every description of Goods.

Full particulars on application.

The Patronage and Confidence of the Public respectfully solicited.
F. N. GROVES, Manager.
July, 1889.

DR. R. VANDELEUR KELLY has commenced Practice at his Consulting Rooms, No. 26, Wynyard-square; and residence, 221, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

DR. SCHWARZBACH, 151, Macquarie-st., N.—Specialist for Eye, Ear, and Throat Diseases only.

DR. CUMMINGS may be consulted daily at his residence, Holtenham, Johnston-street, Annandale.

DR. R. B. READ informs his Friends and Patients up country, that having sold the Coogee Bay Hotel and Sanatorium, he has no further connection therewith.
R. B. READ, The Firs, Coogee.

DR. M'KAY can be CONSULTED at his New Rooms, Belmont House, 29, Carrington-street, Wynyard-square, on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays; on other days at his Residence, Rooty Hill.

DRESSMAKING.—Ladies' own material made up. R. Burton's new Millinery Shop, 363, George-street.

NOTICE.
I will not be responsible for any DEBT or DEBTS contracted in my name from this date.
ALEXANDER OSBORNE M'DONALD, Butcher,
July 30, 1889. 145, George-street North, Sydney.

NOTICE.—If Furniture not removed from 42, Burlington-st., Ultimo, within 7 days, will be sold. A. C.

WHEN R. THOMPSON fulfils his part of the contract we will perform ours. T. Smith, T. Wilson.

THE Lily White Laundry Company having recently changed hands, persons having parcels not returned are requested to forward particulars to Manager, 103, Paddington-street.

SYDNEY and Suburban Property Repairing and Renovating Co. undertakes all kinds of repairs, alterations, small jobs of brickwork, carpentry, &c. Painting a speciality, moderate. J. A. PEARSALL, Manager, Arncliffe.

ARTIFICIAL LIMBS with all the latest improvements made specially to order, fit and durability guaranteed; Trusses, Ladies' Abdominal Belts, Silk Elastic Stockings, Kneecaps, &c. G. GUYATT & CO., Surgical Instrument and Truss Makers, 495, George-st., nr. Bathurst-st., Sydney. N.B.—An experienced lady in attendance. Established 1853.

THE COMPAGNONI CATERING COMPANY.
GUNSLER'S CAFE.
160, 162, and 164, PITT-STREET.
J. F. GUNSLER desires to intimate that in consequence of the unauthorised use of his name elsewhere, it is necessary that all orders for Gunsler's Café or Compagnoni Catering Company be addressed J. F. GUNSLER, 160, 162, and 164, Pitt-street.
J. F. GUNSLER, General Manager.

DISPUTED TITLES, LAND AT WILLOUGHBY.—Maps of this locality, showing all information to date, for SALE. ALFRED CLARKSON, Survey Office.

THE TURKISH BATHS, BLIGH-STREET.
FOR GENTLEMEN:
Open daily (except Sundays), from 8 a.m. till 9 p.m.
FOR LADIES:
On Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, from 9 a.m. till 5 p.m.
C. A. SHERWIN.
June 15, 1888.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited,
WOOL and PRODUCE BROKERS,
FAT STOCK SALESMEN, Stock and Station Agents,
Grain and Metal Brokers.
OFFICE and STORE—Circular Quay, Sydney.
Liberal advances, if required, made on all Produce or Stock consigned to us.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited.
CAPITAL, £100,000,
with power to increase to £500,000.
DIRECTORS:
G. M. PITT, Esq., Chairman.
J. B. CHRISTIAN, Esq. — A. A. DANGAR, Esq.
MANAGING DIRECTORS:
R. M. PITT, Esq. — H. S. BADGERY, Esq.
A. MUGGRIDGE, Esq.
The Company carry on the business of STOCK and STATION AGENCY in all its branches; also, receive Money on deposit, either fixed or at call.
W. WRIGHT, Secretary.

## Stock and Stations.

SQUATTING INVESTMENT.
FOR SALE, one of the grandest fattening STATIONS in the Central Division, area about 40,000 acres, including small portions of freehold, conditional purchases, and conditional leases. The property is watered by river frontage and very lightly stocked. Full particulars and price on application to the agents.
T. SULLIVAN and SON,
382, George-street, Sydney.

## Miscellaneous.

JERUSALEM BAZAAR.
F. KORSCH and D. MAIER,
76, Oxford-street,
will close the above premises on the 10th of August, and sell now all Goods of Olive Wood and Pictures of Native Flowers of the Holy Land, &c., for cost price; also new Counter and Shelving for sale. 76, Oxford-street.

DEMOLITION OF PREMISES.
CHEAP CLEARING SALE.
See Reduced Prices in Window.
J. GIDLEY FLEMING and SONS are now holding a CASH CLEARING SALE of Furniture, Jap. Tables, Chairs, Iron Safe, Vases, Ornaments, and Fancy Goods, at 160, Pitt-street, in consequence of the premises having to be taken down for the Imperial Arcade.
Note.—The sale will be this week only.

DARK BRAHMAS and BUFF COCHINS for SALE; young Cockerels and Pullets, out of prize winners. Apply Amyville, Bogan-street, Summer Hill, or T. R. DAVIS, Herald Office.

FOR SALE, an Office TABLE, also Morocco Leather Armchair. J. Herman, 18, Barrack-street.

FOR SALE, SHELVING, Fixings, &c., of a shop, cheap. 192, Princes-street, Church-hill, city.

FOR SALE, a Lumley's Corking MACHINE, in good order, a bargain. J. Herman, 18, Barrack-street.

VOLUNTEER LAND ORDERS always on hand. F. Somers, 53, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

CEDAR Office PRESSES, Desk and Pigeon Holes, on view, cheap. 146, Elizabeth-street South.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING and Sundries Bought. Mr. Phillips, 483, Elizabeth-street. Letters attended.

HIGH price paid for early issues of Old Australian Postage Stamps. G. F. Murnin, 263, George-street.

WATCH-DOG, splendid specimen, for SALE; also, Black and Tan Terriers. 9, Wynyard-lane.

FOR SALE, the Fixtures, Fittings, of ..., 466, George-street, opposite Fruit Markets.

GAME ROOSTERS, couple for SALE, really first-class. 214, Bourke-street, off William-street.

FOR SALE, a number of PIGS. Apply 14, Wentworth-street, off Underwood-street, Paddington.

MAGIC LANTERN.—Wanted to Hire for country, Mag. Lant., temp. views. Temperance, P.O., Haymarket.

COUNTER for SALE, 16ft. long, cedar top. International Hotel, King-street, Newtown.

WANTED, to Buy good, sound, second-hand LADDERS. C. Morrison, painter, 140, Liverpool-st.

FOR SALE, pure bred Pug PUPS; progeny of 1st prize takers late show. 151½, Campbell-st., Surry Hills.

WANTED, 2 Shop Windows, 8 or 9 ft. or thereabout; also Sign, 23ft. 6in. 273A, Oxford-st., Pad'ton.

BICYCLES, 52 and 54 in., lamps, bags, gongs, 25 per cent. discount. Perambulator Factory, Parramatta-st.

BABIES' Carriages and Invalids' Wheel Chairs, Sale or Hire, time payments. Anderson's, Parramatta-st.

CANTERBURY PARK RACES,
TO-MORROW, August 1, Bank Holiday.

## Businesses for Sale.

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, country, 70 miles from city, 9 yrs., low rent, trade £250, good neighbourhood, ing £600. 119, King-street. (74)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, South Coast, 8 yrs., low rent, billiards, buggy, &c., proof trade, owner retiring cash, £1000. 119, King-street. (69)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, city, 7½ yrs. lease, rent £3 10s, good beer house, ing. £150. 119, King-st. (636)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, city, cor., good traffic st., low rent, proof trade, 2 bars, stabling, ing., £450. 119, King-street. (631)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, William-st., grand cor., 10 yrs. lease, rent low, £75 week, ing. £650. 119, King-street. (823)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, Surry Hills, 10 yrs. lease, rent £3 10s, good trade, ing. £600. 119, King-st. (509)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, suburb, long lease, rent £2 10s, trade £35 wk., near works, ing. £200. 119, King-street. (578)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, near Haymarket, 7 yrs. l., rent £3, pf. trade, £80, ing. £500. 119, King-st. (633)

IVAN HENRY.—Hotel, centre city, grand corner, doing £200 wk., best stand Syd., £2000. 119, King-st.

PASTRYCOOK'S and Catering Business, central pos., excellent small goods trade, cash takings £30 per week; estab. 18 years; stock-in-trade, plant, fittings, &c., at a very low price. Ivan Henry, 119, King-street. (172)

IVAN HENRY.—Restaurant, cash trade, £35 per week, furn. throughout, long lease, £140. 119, King-st.

IVAN HENRY.—Grocery, shipping trade, big profits, £50 for plant, stock at val. 119, King-street.

IVAN HENRY.—Butchering Business, largest fam. trade in Sydney, top prices, fortune. 119, King-street.

IVAN HENRY.—General Store, Rockdale, rent 10s., trade £25 weekly, good dwelling, £110. 119, King-st.

IVAN HENRY.—Produce Business, trade £100 per week, proof, long lease, splendid chance. 119, King-st.

MODEL LODGING-HOUSE, prime stand, 95 beds, nearly always full, good profits, lease, beds, fittings, goodwill, £350; sure and good income. Further particulars, Fred. C. Bourne, 506 and 508, George-street, near Markets.

HOTEL Buyers will study their own interest by calling on REDGATE and RIGGS, 121, Elizabeth-street, who can furnish them with full particulars of all HOTELS for SALE worth having, at prices ranging from £250 to £7000. Advances bank rates. A few first-class Country Hotels on our register.

GOODWILL and Plant of Box and Packing Case Factory, prof. concern, good connection. Alpha, Herald.

A GOOD paying BAKER'S BUSINESS, doing 3 bags a night; owner wishes to sell on account of ill-health. Price, £170. Apply M. K., 120, G. P. O.

TAILORING BUSINESS for Private SALE, situated in central part of George-street, doing a nice trade; owner going home. Apply Messrs. WALLACE and CO., Clarence-street.

SNUG General STORE, on Blue Mountains, doing £250 a month, stock about £800, brick premises, and comfortable dwelling, genuine increasing business. E. BUTLER, 438, George-street, opposite Lassetter's.

SAFE INVESTMENT.

A Gentleman with £1000 can Purchase a Half-interest in one of the best enterprises in Sydney, now paying handsomely, no risk. Call from 1 until 2 p.m. on Mr. CLARK, Roberts' Hotel, George-street.

BUTCHERING BUSINESS, £200, lease, goodwill, fittings, and plant, city, old established, thickly populated neighbourhood, shipping centre, fitted with every requisite, steam chopping and cooking plant, good house, 9 rooms, 2 horses and carts, splendid chance for energetic man. COURTENAY, SMITH, and CO., 412, George-street.

GROCERY, Lollies, Summer Drinks BUSINESS for SALE, corner Morehead and Kettle streets, Redfern.

A. C. LOVE and CO., Hotel Brokers, 135, King-street (over Hagon's).

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| Hotel, Oxford-street, lease 7 years, gift, £300 | (248) |
| Hotel, suburbs, lease 7 years, doing 6-36's £400 | (186) |
| Hotel, Pyrmont, £200 monthly, price £1000 | (191) |
| Hotels, from £150 to £5000, bargains | |
| Hotel, city, lease 10 years, proof trade, £60, £900 | (164) |
| Hotel, town, lease 10 years, a fortune | (236) |
| Hotel, suburbs, 13 years' lease, price £1100. | (307) |

Call and inspect register, large advances.

ERRINGTON and CHAPMAN, 66, Elizabeth-street, are instructed to dispose of, privately, one of the best paying Hotels, situate near Haymarket. The house does a large bar trade, and has one of the largest country connections in Sydney. Makes up 30 beds. A fortune can be realised in a few years. Price, £2000. A bona-fide buyer with £800 can inspect.

BEST Suburb, General STORE, stock £700, returns £5000, guaranteed. Wm. Butler and Co., 382, George-st.

COUNTRY STORE, stock £2500, returns £10,000. Wm. Butler and Co., 382, George-street, near G. P. O.

COUNTRY STORE, stock £7000, returns £25,000, or partner, capital £1500. W. Butler & Co., 382, Geo.-st.

NEEDHAM and CO., 19, Elizabeth-street, offer first-class Boarding ESTABLISHMENT, Moore Park, handsomely furnished throughout, rent 55s; 1 room let at 4 guineas weekly, and several boarders; easy terms.

BOARDING-HOUSE, Surry Hills, 8 rooms, rent 27s, full boarders, £70 or offer, must sell. Needham.

LODGING-HOUSE, centre city, 12 beds, always let, everything for £75, bargain. Needham and Co.

NEWS Agency and Stationery, best suburb, profits £11 weekly, trial allowed. Needham and Co.

COLONIAL Wine and Refreshments, city, taking £30 weekly, stock, furniture, &c., £95. Needham.

TOBACCONIST and Hairdresser, close city, rent 20s, large takings, £45. Needham and Co.

WOOD and Coal YARD, city, trade £30 week, rent 8s, in full swing, a gift. Needham and Co.

CONFECTIONERY and Pastrycook's, city, takings £25 weekly, fittings, stock, &c., £16. Needham and Co.

NEEDHAM and CO., 19, Elizabeth-street.—Dairy, 8 cows, 2 horses, carts, &c., £140 or offer.

UP-COUNTRY BUSINESS FOR SALE.

For SALE, as a going concern, the BUSINESS of Mr. Frederick Chambers, of Mittagong, General Storekeeper, &c. The Stock is, comparatively speaking, quite new and well assorted, and therefore offers an excellent chance to those in search of a small concern.

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| General Drapery ... | £263 9 4 |
| Grocery ... | 109 15 8 |
| Ironmongery and Crockery ... | 46 13 3 |
| Stationery, Fancy Goods, and Patent Medicines ... | 29 5 3 |
| Working Plant ... | 36 8 0 |
| | £485 11 8 |

Stock-sheets and further particulars on application to J. T. DAVENPORT and Co., Accountants.
4, Moore-street, Sydney, July 26, 1889.

HOTEL, Pyrmont, lease 9 years, leading hotel, trade £60, price £500. 72, Pitt-street.

TO BUTCHERS.—Business for SALE, corner of Mills and Berry sts., St. Leonards. Apply on premises.

BUTCHERS.—For SALE, small goods Machine and press, a bargain. T. Gleeson, near M'ville.-station.

LAUNDRY for SALE, with good connection, price £150, no agents. Laundry, Herald Office.

ROBINSON and LUCAS, the Pitt-street Brokers, 72, Pitt-street, nearly opposite Empire Hotel

HOTEL, Petersham, long lease, rent £3, 18 rooms, takings £60 free house £500.

ROBINSON and LUCAS require Man with £100, for first-class club, sure fortune.

HOTEL, Parramatta, lease 5 years, trade £70, low rent, 2 bars, free house, £500.

ROBINSON and LUCAS have sold more country Hotels than any other brokers in the world.

HOTEL, Murwillumbah, lease 12 years, billiards, 3 bars, 16 rooms, trade £100 guaranteed, price £600.

LEADING city Grocery Business, good shipping trade, immense sacrifice, stock val., no goodwill req.

CORDIAL BUSINESS for SALE, in country, no opposition, turnover satisfactory. Apply AUSTRALIAN DRUG COMPANY, O'Connell-street.

BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, Victoria-street North, house full of boarders; rent, £2 2s weekly; furniture and goodwill £100, a bargain. HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, Hairdressing and Tobacconist BUSINESS; good stand. Apply 178, Bay-street, Glebe.

BILLIARDS.—For SALE, first-class BUSINESS, heart of city, long lease, proprietor leaving for England, can give proof of having cleared fifteen per annum for some years. F. F. W., Herald Office.

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# PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

TUESDAY, JULY 30.

The SPEAKER took the chair at half-past 4 o'clock.

### PAYMENT OF MEMBERS.

Mr. SPEAKER read a message from his Excellency the Governor recommending, in accordance with the Constitution Act, sec. 4, the expediency of making provision to authorise payment of members of the Legislative Assembly.

Sir HENRY PARKES moved that the message be printed and referred to the committee on the bill.

The motion was agreed to.

### QUESTIONS.

Mr. BRUCE SMITH, in reply to Mr. Stokes for Mr. Waddell, stated that the report of the Royal Commission on Tanks and Wells had engaged a deal of the attention of the Government, but a final determination could not be arrived at, he feared, till the recess.

Mr. SYDNEY SMITH, in reply to Mr. Seaver, stated that the Government had so far been unable to find a suitable place for a mining museum. Steps were being taken to have a place provided.

Mr. GOULD, in reply to Mr. Paul, said he was having a return prepared furnishing the information with regard to increasing the salaries of clerks of petty sessions in view of fees taken from them by Act 50 Vic., No. 32. The clerks of petty sessions at the Water and Central Police Courts acted in the capacity of chamber magistrates, and it was his intention to have them so designated.

Mr. O'CONNOR, in reply to Mr. Abigail for Mr. Willis concerning a letter-carrier named Michael M'Namee, stated that he was tried on the 30th May last on a charge of opening 50 letters entrusted to him for delivery, and was acquitted on the ground of insanity, and was subsequently reappointed in the department as a stamper and sorter, on the recommendation of some aldermen of Alexandria, members on both sides of the House, the late John Sutherland, and others.

Mr. M'MILLAN, in reply to Mr. Schey, said he was informed that the Railway Department had been getting cattle-waggons and sheep-vans cleaned at Homebush by contract for nearly three years for 3d. each until the beginning of this year, when the price was raised to 3½d. each. Tenders were called for, and the charge was stated by the successful tenderer.

Sir HENRY PARKES, in reply to Mr. Crick, said that Senior-constable Murphy was suffering from right inguinal hernia. But that fact did not render him a cripple for life; it merely rendered him unfit for the duty of a policeman, which office might at any time involve him in a violent personal struggle with an adversary. He received the maximum gratuity from the Police Superannuation Fund.

Mr. M'MILLAN, in reply to Mr. Crick, said that he was informed that the Railway Commissioners came to the conclusion that Mr. Thow was the best officer obtainable as locomotive engineer from general information obtained as to his abilities and from personal intercourse with him whilst he was engaged in reporting upon the rolling-stock. He would lay upon the table a copy of the recent indent sent to England for locomotive boilers recommended by the locomotive engineer. The local manufacturers had not been invited to tender because the boilers were urgently required, and it was desirable that they should be made by the same firms who made the engines. Mr. Thow had not ordered goods from England on his own responsibility.

Mr. M'MILLAN, in reply to Mr. Molesworth, said that a piece of land between Newtown and Macdonaldtown stations had been purchased, in view of the contemplated widening of the line.

Sir HENRY PARKES, in reply to Mr. Lyne, stated that no communication had reached him that true English herring were to be found off the Australian coast at certain seasons.

Mr. M'MILLAN, in reply to Mr. Barbour for Mr. See, said it was a fact that differential railway rates were being charged upon all classes of goods on the railways between Sydney and Wallangra and Newcastle and Wallangra, and that goods were being carried from Newcastle and Sydney to Wallangra at a lower rate than from Sydney or Newcastle to Armidale. The question was being considered as to whether some modification was necessary. Goods intended for Armidale were being trucked to Glen Innes and from Glen Innes to Armidale to a limited extent at a lower rate than was charged for goods sent from Sydney or Newcastle to Armidale direct. He added that the system of differential rates had been in operation on the railways of the colony for a period of nearly ten years, and was general throughout the world. The Commissioners were quite alive to the anomalies of the system, but so long as it obtained in the colony they could not refuse to give the Northern system the benefit of the same kind of tariff, and at the present time it was not practicable to make a comprehensive change to abolish the system altogether. Alterations in the scale of rates would be gradually made, so as to reduce the anomalies to a minimum without undue loss of revenue.

### THE COAL MINES' ACT.

Mr. SYDNEY SMITH, in reply to Mr. Melville, stated that he would, on Thursday, move for leave to bring in a bill to amend the Coal Mines Regulation Act, in which provision would be made to meet the wishes of the House and benefit the mines of the colony. His attention had been directed to the verdict of the coroner's court into the colliery disaster at Merewether, and he intended to take steps to ascertain if the verdict of the jury affected the overman—John Sharp. He would explain fully what the Government intended to do when the bill was brought in. (Hear, hear.)

### QUESTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE.

Sir HENRY PARKES, in reply to Mr. Burns, said that the application of the people of St. Leonards for a separate fire brigade system would be fully considered before the House proceeded with the Fire Brigades Bill.

Mr. BRUCE SMITH, in reply to Mr. Playfair, said that he had called for a report upon the state of the Abbatoirs and Pyrmont roads, which would regulate his action in the matter of their improvement.

Mr. BRUCE SMITH, in reply to Mr. Lyne, said that the railways of which he had given notice that night were not all the railways that the Government had agreed upon. It was necessary in sending proposals to the Public Works Committee to have plans prepared, and in some instances all the surveys were not yet complete. He hoped the additional proposals would be ready in about a week or ten days, when he would submit them to the House. The Culcairn to Corowa line was included in the fresh batch to be presented to the House.

Mr. BRUCE SMITH, in reply to Mr. Garvan, stated that the proposed line from Bega to Eden had been considered, and the Government could not see their way to submit the line in question to the Public Works Committee.

Mr. BRUCE SMITH, in reply to Mr. Abigail concerning a western suburbs tramway, said he could not express any opinion about the matter.

### RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT FOR WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Mr. TRAILL asked the Colonial Secretary if it was the case that the Premier of Tasmania had taken the initiative with regard to concerted action on the part of the Australasian colonies in relation to the affairs of Western Australia, in the direction of which he gave notice on the 28th of May last.

Sir HENRY PARKES said he thought he had better state as fully as he could what had been done by the Government. Communications were opened some days ago by South Australia with this Government—simply making the inquiry whether New South Wales was in favour of the colonies acting in concert about Western Australia. Before taking any action it was necessary first of all to know definitely what they were to act in concert about. Since then communications had taken place on the same subject between this Government and the Governments of all the other colonies, excepting New Zealand. Since the last meeting of the House some 12 or more telegrams had been exchanged, and yesterday this Government addressed a circular despatch on the whole subject to the other colonies. Generally speaking, the Government agreed with the West Australian Enabling Bill, but the bill did not cover all the difficulties of the case, because there might be subordinate questions included in the main issue which would affect its principles. The views in this respect had been explained to the effect that until they saw exactly what was proposed to be done it was difficult for them to act in concert, but the Government had suggested that a conference should be held seeing that matters were of such importance. It was hardly a question to be determined by the vague terms of acting in concert. Undoubtedly it was in the interest of the whole of the Australasian colonies to preserve for the whole continent the principle of self-government. (Hear, hear.) As far as the interference and authority of this Government could be extended they would be exercised in that direction. They were extremely anxious that Western Australia should, without loss of time, have a Constitution similar to the other colonies—(hear, hear)—but they were not anxious that some new Crown colony should be created out of her territory. They could see great dangers to the general welfare by such a step. Although they might hold views that the territory of South Australia was far too large for one colony, still they considered that the other colonies should be subject to precisely the same form of administration as that under which the great bulk of the population acted. He would have no objection to laying on the table the correspondence with the other colonies.

### PAPERS.

Mr. M'MILLAN laid upon the table the report of Mr. W. Thow, M.I.M.E., on the railways of New South Wales, and an indent for locomotive boilers.

Mr. BRUNKER laid upon the table a return, showing the business transacted in the Tamworth Land Board district.

Mr. M'MILLAN laid upon the table of the House the report of the Railway Commissioners for the quarter ending June 30.

Mr. CARRUTHERS laid upon the table the annual report for 1888 of the Sydney Grammar School; by-laws for the regulation of Moss Vale Free Public Library.

Mr. M'MILLAN laid upon the table a return, showing the cost and description of work done at the Government Printing Office from 1st January to 31st December, 1888.

### QUESTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE.

Mr. BRUCE SMITH, in reply to questions from Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Chanter, Mr. Dibbs, Mr. Burns, and Mr. Seaver, concerning the construction of railways from the Clarence to the Tweed, from Jerilderie to Deniliquin, from Wagga Wagga to Tumberumba, and along the North Coast, stated that he could give no definite answers.

Mr. GOULD, in reply to questions by Mr. Melville, said that the case of the two men recently sentenced by Judge Windeyer for contempt of court, had not yet been considered; but he would be in a position to give a reply to the questions one day next week.

### PETITION.

Sir HENRY PARKES presented a petition from Sydney Maxted, director of Government Asylums, and boarding-house officer, of Sydney, praying for leave in his official capacity to be represented by attorney before the Select Committee, on the case of Mrs. Cunynghame, late matron-superintendent of the Macquarie-street (Parramatta) Asylum for Infirm and Destitute.

The petition was received.

In moving that the prayer of the petition be granted, Sir HENRY PARKES said Mr. Maxted's character was at stake. If he had acted wrongfully it would be a serious thing for him, and as a matter of justice he ought to have the advantage prayed. So far as the question of pay was concerned, it had not entered into his mind, but he would inquire into it, and certainly he would not sanction anything which he thought the House would consider unjust. (Hear, hear.)

The motion was agreed to.

### THE CASE OF ZACHARY BENN.

Mr. EWING brought up the report of the Select Committee on the conditional purchase of Zackary Benn, of the Richmond River district.

### THE ELECTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS COMMITTEE.

Mr. ABIGAIL, without notice, submitted to the Speaker the following question:—The Committee of Elections and Qualifications were appointed under the warrant of the Speaker, and they were appointed under oath to conduct their duties in accordance with the provisions of the Electoral Act of 1880, which prescribed in clear terms "and the said committee shall select their own chairman from time to time, and shall have power to regulate the form and manner of their own proceedings, provided that such proceedings shall be conducted openly, except when the committee shall think it necessary to deliberate among themselves before or after hearing evidence and argument if offered." It seemed to him that this provision made it clear how the proceedings were to be conducted. He was told by parties whose case had been submitted to the committee that an injustice was likely to happen to them through the committee conducting its affairs with closed doors. He desired, therefore, to submit to the Speaker the question whether the committee was to be controlled by the Electoral Act as he had read it, or whether it had the power to decide how its proceedings should be conducted?

Mr. SPEAKER said it appeared to him that it was entirely beyond the power of the Speaker to interfere with the committee in any way. It seemed to have been the desire of Parliament in passing the statute to make the committee entirely independent of the Speaker. If there was any doubt in the mind of the committee, and they desired to take the opinion of the House, the best way to do it would be to put the question to the Speaker; he could then give his opinion, subject to the determination of the House. Unless the opinion of the Chair was asked in that way, it seemed to him that the Chair could not interfere with the operations of the committee.

### ESSEX-STREET ALIGNMENT BILL.

Mr. PLAYFAIR moved the third reading of the Essex-street Alignment Bill.

The motion was agreed to, and it was ordered that the bill be forwarded to the Legislative Council, with the usual message.

### WARWICK FARM RAILWAY BILL.

Mr. F. FARNELL moved the third reading of the Warwick Farm Railway Bill.

The motion was agreed to, and it was ordered that the bill be forwarded to the Legislative Council, with the usual message.

### THE PAYMENT OF MEMBERS BILL.

Sir HENRY PARKES moved,—"That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as would preclude the passing of a bill, intituled, 'A Bill to authorise the payment to members of the Legislative Assembly of an annual allowance as reimbursement for expenses incurred in the discharge of their Parliamentary duties,' through all its stages in one day." He said he desired before entering upon this subject to express his regret for an ejaculation which fell from him on Thursday night with regard to the introduction of a bill to make the Upper House an elective one. He was reminded that he was in error almost immediately by the sharp interruption of the hon. member for New England. Occupying the position he did, it was hasty and inconsiderate on his part to announce any such intention as that at such a time. (Hear, hear.) He regretted it, and apologised for having so far forgotten himself as to offend in that way. At the same time he did not desire to be misunderstood. The subject was a very proper one for deliberation in that House, and for submission to the electors of the country. He apologised again for having in that inconsiderate and hasty manner given utterance to words which might be interpreted as having the appearance of a threat, when no threat was intended. In taking the step he was about to take, it was his duty to say a few words to put himself right with those who did not know what his public life had been. At the time the late Mr. Charles Wentworth was bringing his Constitutional Bill into shape, he belonged to a powerful committee, which included such legal men as Mr. Robert Johnson and Mr. T. Kenyon Holden, and such merchants as the late Mr. T. S. Mort and Mr. J. Gilchrist. While Mr. Wentworth was doing his best to shape that bill, they as a committee did their best to oppose its illiberal features. From then until now he had at all times and in all places advocated the elective principle in regard to the Legislative Council. For the past 40 years he had supported the elective principle, and on two occasions had brought in bills favouring that system, and he thought it unjustifiable on this particular occasion to say that he was taking advantage of existing circumstances for political purposes. At all times since he had been a member of the House he had sided with those who had maintained the rights and privileges of the Lower House. (Hear, hear.) He had never faltered, and his name would be found amongst those who had ever been first to defend the powers, rights, and privileges of the elected Chamber of representatives. The motion standing in his name was to the effect that so much of the Standing Orders should be suspended as would preclude the passing of the Payment of Members Bill through the House in one sitting. It was unnecessary to remind hon. members that he had unhesitatingly opposed the Payment of Members Bill, but the actual question of payment of members was no longer before the House. (Hear, hear.) The real question at issue was the position the bill occupied in regard to the rights of the Legislative Assembly. (Hear, hear.) In taking the position he did, it must be remembered that he did not act as Colonial Secretary, but as leader of the House. (Hear, hear.) It was not his intention or desire to create unnecessary bitterness between the two branches of the Legislature, but he maintained it was their duty to make a stand in the present unfortunate circumstances. What he said was said after deliberation and in all calmness, and with no desire to embroil the two Houses in any unnecessary quarrel. (Hear, hear.) In discussing the question it would be right that they should bring home to their minds how Parliamentary Government arose in the mother country. England was the parent of the great instrument of Parliamentary government, and if they cast their memory back to the origin of that institution they would find that at the commencement in England that Parliament was scarcely more than a registering body who had to consent to the will of the barons and bishops and the great persons of the land. Gradually the power of the people pushed aside the rule of the prelates and the temporal lords of the realm, and the marvellous change was effected by the simple talisman of the representation of the people. (Hear, hear.) They were in a similar position, as by their political system they were the representatives of the people, to whom they were directly accountable. That was one difference between the two Houses, a difference which had to be fought out through ages, if not centuries, in the mother country, and which they seemed to have inherited. It might be laid down as an axiom in political science that two Legislative bodies of equal powers would be practically and verily unworkable. (Hear, hear.) The conflict which would continuously go on would render legislation impossible. That being so, he was disposed to lay it down as an axiom in political science that there must be a wide difference between the two Houses, if two Houses must exist. According to the accepted theory, two Houses were necessary for the greater safety and maturity in deliberation—that was if there was one body constituted in one way, subject to one class of influences, and another body constituted in another way and under the guidance of another set of influences—and it was much more likely that any question would be thoroughly sifted and thoroughly winnowed of the more frivolous matter surrounding it than if conducted in only one House. That was the reason in favour of two Houses. In framing the Constitution Act Mr. Wentworth's desire was to give the people of this country a British constitution, despite the desire on the part of some to foist upon the country a constitution based on American lines. A British constitution was given, and that constitution provided that the Lower House, as represented by the constituencies, should in every respect control the expenditure of the people's money. (Hear, hear.) In the first clause of the Constitution Act it was provided that there should be one Legislative Council and one Legislative Assembly, with the proviso that all bills for appropriating any part of the public revenue or for imposing any new rate, tax or impost, subject always to the limitation contained in clause 62 of the principal, should originate in the Legislative Assembly of the colony. The clause referred to said it should not be lawful for the Legislative Assembly to originate or pass any vote, resolution, or bill for the appropriation of any part of the consolidated revenue fund, or of any other tax or impost, to any purpose which should not have been first recommended by a message of the Governor to the Legislative Assembly during the session in which such vote, resolution, or bill should be passed. The reason for this recommendation from the Crown to the Assembly involved one of the dearest rights of the people, for it meant that their money should not be expended, for any reason whatever, without passing under the control of their representatives, who could be called to account for their actions. Hence the Constitution, after providing that all such bills should be originated in the people's House, went on to say that even the Lower House should not originate such bills without a recommendation from a responsible Minister of the Crown. If the contention of these gentlemen, who depended on the letter of the Constitution, was correct, then the Legislative Council could do what this House could not do, because they could alter or vary appropriations without any message from the Crown at all. Such a piece of delusion as this could never have been intended by the persons who framed the Constitution. Examined by the touchstone of common sense, the fabric built up by these persons who depended on the letter of the law crumbled at once to pieces. (Hear, hear.) The Legislative Council had, from the very first hour of its existence, acknowledged continually its position, and had practically admitted that it had no power over the Government of the country. This House could put the Government to death at any moment, or could sustain it in life, but the Legislative Council might pass resolution after resolution by as large majorities as it chose without having any more effect on the Ministry than water on a duck's back. Hence the Legislative Council had practically given up its powers, and all through its existence it had never claimed powers such as the Legislative Assembly could at any time exercise. This was not only so, but the Upper House had given up its claim to anything like co-ordinate power by never venturing to touch the estimates of expenditure. Throughout its whole existence it had admitted the great doctrine that the Lower House, elected by the people of the country, had full control over the appropriations, as it had never ventured to touch them. So that the Legislative Council, by giving up any claim to interference with the Government of the day, and by never attempting to put its hands on the appropriations, had practically admitted that it was in the same position as the Upper House in the mother country. He did not intend to enter upon any argument as to the relative rights of the two Houses, as he did not think it was necessary to raise this question. What he had pointed out, as he thought pretty clearly, was the evidence which showed that the Upper Chamber had already accepted the position which he contended it ought to occupy. He would avoid as far as he could any cause which would tend to make the rupture wider or the angry feeling more bitter, and he would at once proceed to deal with the bill which had been returned to this House on Thursday, and in respect to which he asked the Assembly to suspend the Standing Orders. He hoped hon. members would understand that he avoided any argument on the principle of this bill, as his opinions in this direction were well known. He might have thought that it would have been wiser and more dignified if the payment for members had applied to both Houses; but whether he had thought so or not, the question did not arise at present. The bill had been passed by a majority of this House on several occasions, and the bill concerned only the members of this House, and had nothing to do with anyone else, except, perhaps, the taxpayers. He would now point out the reception which the bill had met with in the other House. It had affirmed by a majority that the members of this House had done right in passing the bill. The Legislative Council, by passing the second reading by an emphatic majority, had affirmed that the bill was a just and proper one. He now came to the attitude shown by the Legislative Council. They did not throw out this bill; they took no course other than reading it a second time, which affirmed the principle, and, as he had truthfully and justly stated, announced to the world that the Legislative Assembly, in what they had done, had done what was right. They (the Legislative Council) then took up this extraordinary position, that in dealing with a measure relating to the Legislative Assembly alone, and not touching them, but studiously confined to the members of the Legislative Assembly alone,—they took up the position of dictating to the Assembly how the salaries should be paid, and in what form. Now, the contention did not require argument to support it that in this action [illegible] utterly unjustified. It was within their power to express their dissent if they thought it wrong, but having given their assent to the principle being right, what kind of a position were they in in the attitude they assumed afterwards? They assumed this attitude, from which they could not escape, and by an ostentatious parade of superior wisdom, of superior public virtue, of superior patriotism, they dictated to this House how the salaries, which they said this House had properly affirmed, should be paid. He could not conceive of any attitude of any one House of a dual legislature which would be more offensive and more irritating to the House. They said that the Assembly was quite right in affirming that salaries should be paid to its members out of the consolidated revenue to compensate them for their services; but they added that they (the Legislative Council) were wiser than the Assembly, more patriotic, more virtuous, and they told the Assembly how those salaries should be paid. Could the attitude of any Chamber admitted to have co-extensive rights be more offensive and more calculated to provoke resentment? The Assembly could stand a great deal in the ordinary transactions of life, but the last thing they could stand was for a person or body of persons to say that they were superior to the Legislative Assembly, and more virtuous, and that they knew better what ought to be done in the matter entirely relating to the Assembly. Now he would reverse the picture. Let them suppose any measure exclusively appertaining to the Legislative Council, and that the Assembly undertook to correct them, to tell them where they were wrong, how it should apply, how long it should be delayed, when it should commence, did anyone for a moment doubt that the Legislative Council would have manifested such resentment as the Assembly had manifested in regard to them? But he would give an illustration of what they (the Council) were capable of doing in this regard. He had occasion to explain in an earlier part of his address certain facts in justice to himself in opposing the principle of nomination to the other House of Parliament. He had occasion to mention that on two separate occasions he carried through the Assembly a bill to reconstruct the Legislative Council on the principle of election. Now, how were these measures treated? In the year 1873 he carried a bill through the Assembly, being then at the head of the Government, to reconstruct the Legislative Council on the basis of popular election. That bill was carried in this House on the second reading by three to one. A division was sought on the adoption of the report, and the adoption of the report in Committee of the Whole was carried by a majority of seven to one. In due time the bill, having passed through all its stages, was sent to the other House. On the 2nd April, 1873, the Legislative Council declined to consider the bill on the ground that as it related to them (the Council), and them alone, it ought to have originated in their House, and that it was improper for the Legislative Assembly to pass such a measure. They absolutely, by a motion of a very offensive character, declined to enter on the consideration of the bill. That would show how they, if placed in the same position in which the Legislative Assembly was now placed, would have resented any interference in a matter which exclusively applied to themselves. (Hear, hear.) But he was not so precipitate as some persons imagined. At the time he thought it best to accept the position. There seemed to be some reason in the arguments of the Legislative Council that a bill changing their own constitution should have originated with themselves, and he waited patiently until the next session and introduced the same bill in their own House (the Legislative Council)—(hear, hear)—showing that he did not act inconsiderately or irrationally in this matter. The bill was then introduced, and immediately, without waiting for the second reading, they (the Council) referred it to a select committee. This was in 1873, and it remained with the select committee still. (Great laughter.)

Mr. J. P. ABBOTT: That's the check on hasty legislation. (Laughter.)

Sir HENRY PARKES: Now this illustration of how the Council treated the Assembly showed that all the wisdom, all the calmness, all the dignity, were not on their side, but that they could be as intemperate and inconsiderate—(hear, hear)—and as domineering as anyone in the world. (Hear, hear.) Now, his contention was that the Legislative Council had forgotten its place in the framework of the Constitution. (Hear, hear.) Its place was to assist this House in rational and unbiassed deliberation in view of the public interest. (Hear, hear.) Its place, as a body created by the will of the Minister of the day, was not to lay its hands on the appropriation of the revenue of this great country. (Hear, hear.) He thought that he could not be charged at any period of his life with seeking to undermine the authority of the Council. He had certainly stood across its path more than once, and he would to the end of his life be prepared to do so if they outlived him, which he doubted—(loud laughter and cheers)—but he had at all times maintained that they were entitled to respect under the constitutional law of the country, and that they ought not to be subjected to either coercion or inconsiderate treatment. He contended that their action now was not consistent with their place in the Constitution of the country. He did not raise the question now of the relative rights of the two Houses. The time might come, and when it did come he thought he could make his ground clear that this House, and this House alone, has power over the public purse of this country. (Hear, hear.) He hoped the Assembly would concur with him, and take the course he had pointed out. He did not think it necessary to say anything more except this, that the question of the constitution of the Legislative Council was just as much a matter for the consideration of the Assembly as the appointment of a stipendiary magistrate. It was just as open to their deliberation. And as far as the question was concerned, it must be borne in mind that at all times, Mr. Wentworth, the author of the bill of 1853, purposely confined the nomination of the Council, in the first instance, to five years. That was provided for in the Constitution. Mr. Wentworth argued that if it were found not to work well, there would be time for the people to alter the Constitution. There could be no graver evidence of the doubts in the mind of Mr. Wentworth as to the principle of nomination than this limitation to five years. The five years were allowed to slip away—a national sin was committed in allowing it to slip away—and the nominations were made for life. In the very next year after Mr. Wentworth's Constitution came into force they had a report from a committee, of which Mr. Wentworth was chairman, declaring that the principle of nomination had failed, and that the elective principle ought to be applied to that House. (Hear, hear.) Mr. Wentworth's support of the principle of nomination had gone for ever. He showed his grave doubts by limiting it in the first instance to five years. The Council forgot what decency required of it when it ventured to speak in terms of arrogance of those elected by and accountable to the people, and who, by reason of their place in the Constitution, had a power that never could be derived by principles of a nominee system. There were some curious speeches in the history of nominee chambers, and there was a time when persons placed in the Upper House contended that they had been summoned there by their august sovereign the Queen of England. (Laughter.) There were gentlemen who were never tired of stating that their authority was far higher than anything appertaining to the Assembly—repudiating the idea that they had been recommended for their appointments—(laughter)—and that they had been appointed in the exact way that police magistrates were appointed.

Mr. DIBBS: They are summoned by the Government of the Queen's representatives, and not like a police magistrate.

Sir HENRY PARKES knew very well that the complexion put upon the matter had a figment of imagination in it. A Governor of this country, a clear-headed, subtle and brilliant man, insisted upon those appointments being made like the Civil Service. He alluded to Sir Hercules Robinson, who contended that the appointments to the Council should be made in just the same way as any other appointment where advice was given to the Crown, and since that time there had been none of the unsubstantial talk of the difference in the appointments of the Legislative Council. He was a strong advocate for the Legislative Council, and in it he did not want to see a weak body; but he asked whether a body, brought together by the recommendation of the Ministers of the day, could ever have the strength, and be in a position to assume an offensive attitude, or to dictate to the representatives of the people. Beyond a clear expression of his views, he did not want to raise unnecessary questions, nor arguments about the exclusive powers of the Legislative Assembly, and thought he had said enough to show that they were taking the right course to send the bill back in the form in which it was previously before the Council, and he hoped in so doing there would not be any collision, because he did not see any justification for one. He trusted he had not laid himself open to any surrender of his opinions, or that his action would be construed into seeking in any unworthy way to catch support on account of this untoward action. If he knew himself he knew that he was incapable of any mean artifice of the kind, but he could see no advantage if they were to maintain Parliamentary government in surrendering a vestige of the rights which clearly belonged to the Assembly. While resenting any interference with those privileges, he had no desire to speak in disrespectful terms of the Upper House, nor to attempt to lower them in the estimation of the public, or weaken their province of usefulness. He was speaking in the interests, not only of the people, but in support of the cause of freedom, in asking the House to resent the treatment of the bill as a public insult, which could not and might not be tolerated. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. DIBBS said his mind was in a state of confusion to realise whether the speech was in favour of amending the constitution or in favour of the motion before the chair. Everything that could have been done to vindicate their rights had been done the other night, but what had they to do with respect to a long account about making the other Chamber elective? It had nothing to do with the question before the House. He congratulated the Premier upon his temperate tone up to the dinner hour, but after that he indulged in an intemperate tone upon the Legislative Council. It was an insult to the Upper Chamber and arrogance on the part of the Colonial Secretary to liken the Council's appointments to police magistrates. (Mr. COPELAND: Hear, hear.) That spirit of stump oratory and high falutin' language would not carry a measure through the House. Although he was in favour of the bill and the course the Government had decided to take, he would not be a party to hurling obloquy and abuse because the other Chamber had made a mistake—a mistake made by other nominee chambers. It was no part of the Government programme or policy to deal with the other House; but seeing that it might arouse public feeling, it was brought forward so that the question of free trade and protection might be obscured. When had the other Chamber in any unconstitutional manner wrested from that Chamber the rights of the people? For 34 years the Constitution had worked well. (Hear, hear.) There must be, and occasionally there was, friction. It occurred over the Chinese Bill, when the Premier induced the majority at his back to suspend the standing orders to pass a bill through all its stages in one sitting. The House did that almost in defiance of custom and law, and with an entire absence of dignity. A similar action was attempted to be taken in the Upper Chamber, but the members there took up a position, and showed they were something more than police magistrates by amending a bill after a debate extending over 30 days; and when the bill came back the Assembly accepted those amendments. He wanted to know on what other occasion the Upper Chamber had ever attempted to wrest from the people their rights. All he intended to say was this, that so far as he was concerned, and so far as the whole of the members on that side of the House were concerned, they intended to support the hon. member in the suspension of the Standing Orders when it was without loss of dignity, and to give their support to the bill being returned to the other Chamber as a proper vindication of their rights. (Hear, hear.) He believed the Council would not be either arrogant or insolent, but would see the matter in a proper light.

Mr. REID said he was glad at last to hear from some responsible member of the House an indication of that respect which was not only due to the other branch of the Legislature, but which, in the interests of the public, apart from their own feelings and their own struggles, it was highly important they should maintain when a question arose which involved the two Houses in a difference of opinion. He cared not what the constitution of the Legislature was, whether it was an elective House or a nominee House. If there was one thing which all sensible men in that House ought to admit, it was this: Whatever House occupied the position of second Chamber, there was one duty which they owed to that House, and that was the duty of showing to it and to its proceedings that amount of respect which they were determined to claim for themselves. (Hear, hear.) What an extraordinary delusion that was which imagined for a moment that if we had an elective Upper House all dangers and all conflicts between the two branches of the Legislature would be at an end. (Hear, hear.) In speaking upon this subject, which possibly involved a conflict between the two Houses of Parliament, there was no sense in parading the virtues of an elective Upper House, and that was what was meant when it was said an elective Upper House would lessen the possibility of such conflicts in the future. What was the experience of an elective Upper Houses? That there were infinitely more dangers, infinitely more conflicts, and far more deadlocks than we had under the present system. It had been almost a misfortune for the Upper House of this country that it had been appointed in the way to which the Premier had referred. It was a misfortune that it had been constituted by the recommendations of responsible Ministers; because if anything had degraded that House, it was the exercise by Ministers responsible to the people of the high trust which they had imposed upon them when they made those appointments to the other branch of the Legislature. (Hear, hear.) He admitted that, often as he had advocated a nominee Upper House, if appointments such as had been recently made to that House were continued, it would become intolerable. But that was not the fault of the system. (Hear, hear.) That was the fault of a gross abuse of power by responsible Ministers in having placed men in that Chamber who were utterly unfitted for the position. (Hear, hear.) But, even constituted as the House was, it was only fair and proper to say of a body of gentlemen against whom they had no personal grievance that in many respects, and in regard to most of its members, it was a House of which they had no reason to be ashamed, compare it with any House they would. And they could not forget that in the neighbouring colony of Victoria, where there was an elective Upper House, there was infinitely more conflict between the two Houses over this very question of the payment of members. He agreed entirely with the Minister as to the position which they occupied under the Constitution, but he was not so blind to the other side of the question as not to see that far more eminent authorities than himself had held a very different opinion. The mistake of those authorities, to him, appeared to be in taking a purely legal construction of that particular Act of Parliament called the Constitution Act. Taking that view, there was no doubt that the Upper House, with a few exceptions, had exactly the same powers as the

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Assembly. He thought he rose far above such a construction in dealing with the rights of the popular House. They must have some respect for gentlemen who differed from them. They might be wrong, but there was no need to call them insolent or arrogant. That was the sort of talk he regretted. (Hear, hear.) He might be wrong, but he had consistently taken this attitude from the first. By resolution after resolution, the Upper House had asserted the rights which they had attempted to exercise with regard to this bill. Was it not unfortunate, when they knew that money bill after money bill had been amended during the past 30 years; was it not extraordinary and lamentable that while in all these cases statesmanship, conciliation, courtesy, common sense, and a regard for the public interest were able to bring about some sort of compromise, the one abuse of this power which they were determined to make the excuse to plunge the whole country into confusion, was a matter which concerned whom? Did it concern one human being outside the House? No. The amendment which was the bone of contention was whether they should be paid from the beginning of this year or on the beginning of a new Parliament. (Hear, hear.) That was the wretched excuse upon which they were going to fight a great constitutional battle. (Hear, hear.) In 1871, when Sir James Martin was at the head of the Government, a tariff bill containing pages of Customs duties was sent from that House to the other Chamber. Now, if there was one measure which the representatives of the people would not allow the Upper House to touch it was a tariff bill imposing rates upon the people. (Hear, hear.) But the Upper House riddled it with amendments. When the bill came down, Mr. Samuels, a member, moved that it be laid aside, and Sir James Martin went at length into this Constitution question, and took the same view that his hon. friend did. Mr. Samuels' motion was defeated by 23 votes to 8, and the bill was received. He mentioned this to show that there was no unbroken precedent in their own House with reference to this matter. The point of his contention was that there had been difficulties before, but on all previous occasions they had overcome such obstacles without plunging the country into confusion. (Hear, hear.) They should get over the existing difficulty in a way different to that of causing confusion. Every constitutional authority must admit that the Upper House had the right to reject any bill which the Lower House forwarded to them, and, speaking of their own Upper House, he thought he might safely say they had placed few obstacles in the way of legislation. If the Legislative Council were made an elective Chamber the Lower House would find that they could not fling insults at them with impunity; then the Upper House would be as good as the Lower. To say that the Upper House had rejected the present Payment of Members Bill was an inaccurate expression. All the Council had rejected was that portion of the proposal which made the present bill retrospective. The objectionable provision which the Council had rejected had been unknown in other bills, and the Council believed, whether rightly or wrongly, that they had the power to amend the bill in this way. The amendment which they had made was only a small one, and involved no constitutional principle, but only a small amount of money which the members of the House would lose, and therefore he did not consider that it was a point of sufficient importance upon which to bring about a deadlock between the two Houses. Language had been used which would provoke, if anything could, independent men with a spark of self respect, and when the Council had swallowed their principles and adopted the bill, members of this House turned round and said the members of the Council were cowards, and did it because they were afraid. If half the things had been said about this House which the members of this House had said about the Council, there would have been bloodshed long ago. He had no hesitation in saying that the Upper House had for years shown more conciliation to the Assembly, and a greater desire to yield, than any Upper House which he had ever known. The position of affairs at present was that they had just passed a Land Bill, which had taken up the time of the House for weeks and weeks, and they had got the whole of the financial affairs of the country in arrears, whilst there were measures of the greatest importance to come on. The interests of the public were wrapped up in passing the Appropriation Bill, and in that there should be no unnecessary fight between the Legislatures. When this bill got into committee, he would move an amendment leaving out the part which the Upper House had left out, and he proposed to do this because he thought the amendment which the Council had made was a proper one, as the bill should not be retrospective, and should not apply to the present Parliament. If the House would only alter the bill so as to make it apply to the next Parliament, there would be no danger of a deadlock, and the only people who would suffer would be themselves. They had had disputes of this kind a dozen times before, and had always settled their differences. In the case of the Inscribed Stock Bill, the Upper House had infringed on the constitutional rights of the Assembly, but the Government of the day, instead of laying the bill aside, had adopted the Council's amendments, and so avoided any difficulty. If they had adopted this sensible course in that case, why could they not do it on the present occasion, as the result of adopting the amendments of the Council would only mean a slight loss to themselves. The bill would then apply to the next Parliament, and this was really all that they were fighting for, as the Upper House had affirmed the principle. The present House could not last very long, and it would be a calamity if they were to go to the country on this wretched little point.

Sir HENRY PARKES: I think it is extremely unfair to say this, as no man in his senses has ever thought of such a thing. (Hear, hear).

Mr. REID said that he was delighted to hear this: but he did not see what had been the use of the hon. member's talk.

Sir HENRY PARKES: Nobody but a schoolgirl would have thought of such a thing. (Laughter.)

Mr. REID, continuing, said that the hon. member's ejaculation only showed what a hollow affair the whole thing was. A night or two ago the hon. member had talked in a very different way, and had spoken of bringing in a bill to make the Upper House elective, but now he said that it all meant nothing, and that nothing would come from it. There had been a fight over the matter in Victoria, with the result that the affairs of the country had been thrown into confusion, and antagonism had been created among the people. Now that the Council had given in on the principle of the bill, why should they fight over this little detail. Let the House amend its bill so as to make it unobjectionable to the Council, and then the principle would apply to the next Parliament, which was sure to be elected in a short space of time. If they were to engage in this conflict on such a contemptible matter, it would be an injury to the country, and to those who contended that this particular amendment embodied a constitutional principle he would point out that the Council had previously amended money bills, and the Assembly had accepted its amendments. He intended to propose the amendment which he had mentioned, and as there must be a general election soon, the only difference would be that the duration of the bill would be limited by a few months.

Mr. J. P. ABBOTT, who was received with cheers, said that he was very much amused at the hon. member who had spoken last, in stating that the language used by some hon. members in this House must necessarily have had an irritating effect on some members elsewhere. He felt that he was alluded to. He maintained that no language had ever been used in this House equal to the language used in the other Chamber by one of the most prominent members there—(Hear, hear)—who dared to speak of the hon. members of this House as plunderers, and to name them and to point to them as men returned by their constituents but a short time before. Was ever any language as offensive as that used in this House when referring to members of the other? (Hear, hear.) The hon. member who preceded him spoke about this House having in the past conceded to the other Chamber the right to amend money bills; but that hon. member did not tell them the circumstances under which Sir James Martin had accepted the amendment referred to. (Hear, hear.) He did not tell them how Sir James Martin was holding on to office, and that he had an inexperienced Treasurer, and that when the bill came down Sir James Martin accepted it, probably with the view of avoiding any further trouble in the matter; but the Inscribed Stock Bill did not interfere with the burdens of the people in any shape or form. He remembered well when it was introduced, and that there was a discussion as to whether it was a money bill or not. Whenever money bills had been brought up, the Legislative Assembly had never given way to the amendment of the Legislative Council, except in the single instance pointed out by the hon. member. This House had over and over again sent the Payment of Members Bill to the Legislative Council, and during the last two years it was a significant fact that instead of the supporters of the bill diminishing on every occasion, its supporters had increased. He had been attacked by the press for the remarks he made last week. One paper had gone so far as to say that he was fiery and bad-tempered. (Laughter.) Another writer said that he took credit to himself for having bounced the Upper House. He did nothing of the kind, but he uttered a warning to the members of the Upper House. There had been an appeal to the people on two occasions since this bill was first sent to the other House, and every division taken on the principle had shown an increased number in favour of it. They were told that the Legislative Council was there to check hasty legislation and to give careful consideration to measures sent out of this Chamber. The history of this bill was remarkable. The Legislative Council on the 12th July, 1888, met at 4.30 p.m., passed the second and third readings of the Crown Lands Amendment Bill, 13 speeches were made on the Parliamentary Allowance Bill, after which it was rejected by 30 to 9, and the House adjourned after passing some other small bills; and all this work was done before 9 o'clock the same night. And it must be remembered that they took an hour for their dinner or tea, whichever they called it. The bill was again moved in the Legislative Council by Mr. Salomons on the 17th July, after three other bills had been dealt with, and was negatived on the voices. Was that right? They rejected it in one night, without even the dignity of a division. Then the Divorce Bill was dealt with, and the House adjourned at two minutes past 11. The next time it went to them was on the 5th December. The second reading was moved by the Attorney-General, seven speeches were made, and the bill was negatived by 30 to 3. Some other measures were dealt with, and the adjournment was made at 9 o'clock. This was the way they checked hasty legislation. Almost all the members of the Assembly who voted for payment of members were returned to this House—and he would defy any member of the Legislative Council to name one candidate who was rejected at the last general election because he was in favour of the principle. (Hear, hear.) He pointed out the other night that a measure of this kind emanated from the people, and not from the House. It was idle for the leader of the Opposition to talk about the nomination of the Upper House by the Governor, as their appointments were just the same as police magistrates.

Mr. O'CONNOR: Only a stipendiary magistrate is invariably appointed for his ability. (Laughter and Hear, hear.)

Mr. J. P. ABBOTT said it would ill become him to detract from the merit of one who rendered good service to the country, but in comparing some of the books in the library with the Constitution Act, it struck him that they were more deeply indebted to Lord Durham, and if hon. members would take the trouble to compare the Constitution Act with the report of Lord Durham they would find that it was taken almost word for word from the Constitution Act conceded to Canada by the Imperial Government. He alluded to the ruling of the Speaker of the Queensland Government in connection with a land bill which had been held to be a money bill, with which the Upper House had no right to interfere. He quoted precedents from the House of Commons, and asserted the right to place burdens upon the people in any shape or form had been denied the Upper House. Amendments from the Council had been accepted at the end of a session rather than it should be prolonged, but that could not be taken as a precedent. In 1872 a dispute similar to the present occurred in New Zealand, and the matter was referred to the Home Secretary to obtain the opinion of the law officers as to the right of the Council, and it was pointed out in unmistakable terms that the Council had no such powers as were claimed. The highest authority was taken at the time, and what more was wanted? History taught them that for 230 years the House of Commons had asserted its right to deal alone with matters which affected the revenue of the country. On every occasion it had ignored the right of the House of Lords to interfere with these bills. On trivial occasions the House of Commons might have consented to some amendments, but it was indicated clearly to the House of Lords that such were not to be drawn into precedents. Time after time the Canadian representative branch had asserted its right to deal with money bills; and in every British colony the same thing had occurred. Were not these to establish precedents? How long were they to tolerate this interference? Was it to go on for ever? Would not the people rise up indignantly and ask this nominee Chamber whom they represented? He was quite prepared to assent to a nominee House if the members of that House were prepared to retire with the Administration which appointed them. Such a state of things would not be worse than the present. He had had his attention directed to the constitution of the Legislative Council more pointedly by reason of recent appointments. He had seen gentlemen appointed to that House whose names were never before heard. That was what he objected to. He felt with regard to the Upper House that if they were to have a row they might as well have a good one, but he should like to fight them upon much better grounds than grounds which appeared to be merely personal ones. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. SLATTERY regretted the dispute which had arisen between the two branches of the Legislature, a dispute which, if it was persisted in, must lead to ill-results so far as the interests of the country were concerned. It did appear to him that language had been used in both houses, which every man who had the interests of the colony at heart must deplore; but they must not take individual cases as at all binding upon the representative body. He was still in favour of the nominee system, and he was opposed to an elective Upper House. He believed that the council had done good work in the past. Over and over again it had prevented hasty and ill-considered legislation. Nothing was more to be deplored than that in the consideration of a question of this kind the cry should be raised of an elective Upper House. There was no need for the members of the representative branch to attempt to tyrannise members as rightly in the Upper House under the Constitution as they were. They were present in the Lower House by the power granted under the Constitution Act, and hon. members of the Council held office under the same power, with the exception that while members of the Assembly directly represented the people, they were nominee representatives. He thought the hon. the head of the Government had adopted a right course in defence of the liberties of the people, and the fact of moving the suspension of the standing orders would be, in his opinion, an indication, once and for all, that interference on the part of the nominee Chamber in money bills would not be tolerated by the elected Chamber of Representatives. This would be shown by the fact that both the Ministerialists and the Opposition had united on the present occasion for the preservation of the rights of the elected members of Parliament. The Upper House, no matter how frequently they rejected the principle of payment of members on previous occasions, admitted it when they passed the second reading of the present measure. In his opinion the Upper House acted unworthy of their position, and made a great mistake in interfering with the bill in committee after it had been accepted on the second reading. The Legislative Council might well have passed the bill, and left the members of the Lower House to take the responsibility of their action at the hands of the constituencies. Seeing that the bill was sent up as a Government measure, and seeing that it was passed almost unanimously by both sides of the House, he thought the nominee chamber would have acted wisely in passing it through.

Mr. COPELAND thought a great deal of time had been wasted in discussing questions which did not come within the scope of the motion before the House. The question of a change in the constitution of the Upper House was not one for discussion; but should the Premier introduce a bill in favour of applying the elective principle to the Legislative Council he would have something to say on the subject. Hon. members seemed to have been arguing from an unsound position. No matter what might be said to the contrary, he maintained that neither the Constitution Act, nor any other Act, could be construed in any other way than from its legal aspect. In point of fact they were bound unfixedly by the Constitution Act. That Act intended that the Legislative Council should exercise the same rights and privileges and powers as the Legislative Assembly. He submitted that the bill they had been discussing was not in any sense a money bill. Instead of it being a money bill it was a bill to amend the Constitution Act in such a manner as would annihilate the Legislative Assembly. The bill as sent to the Legislative Council was, in his opinion, clearly in contravention of the 18th and 19th sections of the Constitution Act, which were altogether opposed to members of Parliament holding offices of profit under the Crown. The 18th section said that any person who held an office of profit under the Crown should be incapable of being elected or of sitting as a member of the Assembly; and the 19th section went even further, and provided that the seat of any member who accepted an office of profit under the Crown should become null and void. He submitted that the bill which they had passed, if it had become law, would have clearly placed every member of the Assembly in the position of holding an office of profit under the Crown, and therefore every member of the Assembly would have lost his seat as soon as he had participated in that profit. It was clear that if hon. members accepted a salary of £300 a year they would be occupying an office of profit. And to show that this question had not been properly considered, he might mention that provision was made for the payment of every member from the commencement of the present session, whilst there were two members of the House who had only been elected quite recently, but who would be paid from the commencement of the present session. It seemed to him that the present was a good opportunity for the Government to recast this bill, so as to provide for this difficulty. The Crown was really the Government, and was otherwise a mere fiction. He submitted that the powers of the two Chambers, once the money bill was originated, were the same. If the other Chamber could reject, why could they not amend? The Premier contended that the Upper House had the greater power of rejecting, and denied them the lesser power of amending. It was simply a farce for a legislative body to be in existence if its powers were to be curtailed in this manner. During the debate on the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861, the Legislative Council made some amendments, and the question being raised as to whether it was a money bill or not, the President ruled that it must be taken to be a money bill. If that were a money bill then almost every bill was a money bill, and it would be ridiculous to suppose that the Legislative Council could not amend such measures. The Land Bill just sent to the other Chamber was a money bill, and they would be putting themselves in a very absurd position by contending that the Legislative Council had no power to amend that measure. Mr. Wentworth expressed the opinion that the powers of the two Chambers were co-ordinate. They had the opinions of three Chief Justices on the question, and he was surprised that hon. members, especially those favouring protection, should ignore local luminaries, and go to another country for light and wisdom. The opinion of Mr. Edmund Barton was to the effect that the Council had power to do everything with money bills except to originate them. If they created a second Chamber on the elective principle they would have two powers doing the same work, which would result in deadlocks. He did not think it desirable that they should be reduced to that position. He would vote against the motion, believing he was acting in the interest of the country.

Mr. LYNE disagreed with the hon. member for New England (Mr. Copeland) when he argued that the Legislative Council had the same powers with regard to money bills which the Assembly possessed. He deprecated the language which had been used during the debate reflecting upon the Upper Chamber The language used by the Premier and the hon. member for Wentworth (Mr. J. P. Abbott) seemed to him clearly intended to bring about a collision between the two Houses. The remarks made by Mr. Abbott when the bill went to the Council were made in a spirit of bombast and tyrannical boast, and he now repeated those remarks; and what was his object? There ought to be no desire in the House to irritate the minds and feelings of members of the Legislative Council. But much as he deprecated the speech of Mr. Abbott, he deprecated speeches made by hon. members of the Council, speeches which they all ought to be ashamed of. However, that did not make it right that such language should be used there. On the present occasion, the Premier came down in a very different frame of mind from that in which he appeared to be when the bill was received from the Council on Thursday night. The Premier had been called an opportunist; he said he was doubly an opportunist in his actions at this moment.

Sir HENRY PARKES resented the remarks of the hon. member, and appealed for the ruling of the Chair as to whether the hon. member was not out of order in attributing to him unworthy motives in the course he had taken in this bill, in attributing to him that he had taken this action in order to keep himself in power a little longer.

Mr. LYNE said that if the Premier saw anything objectionable in his remarks he would withdraw them. But that would not divert him from the train of his speech. He did not get up to discuss the merits of the question over which the two Houses were at variance, because he thought no hon. member could for a moment place the position of the Legislative Council against that of the Assembly. He said decidedly the will of the people must be carried out, whatever that will was. Though he was strongly in favour of the principle of payment of members, he thought it should be applied to the next session or the next Parliament. Under the strict letter of the Constitution Act every member who voted money into his own pocket voted improperly. He did not think they were right in returning the bill with its present application, and though in favour of the principle of payment he should support any proposition which would make it come into force during the next session.

Mr. MELVILLE said the hon. member who had just resumed his seat had levelled the charge at the head of the Government that his action was intended to prevent the establishment in this colony of a protective tariff. In his opinion, and, he believed, in the opinion of the people of the country, payment of members would bring about true democratic principles and the establishment of protection. (Hear, hear.) Regarding the charges made against the Premier for his action concerning the bill, he could say in the first place that they as an Assembly did not seek the quarrel. Three times the bill had been thrown under the table by the Upper House, and if the Premier had meekly accepted the fourth attempt he might have been charged with the desire to cling to office. But at the risk of all that might follow, at the risk of all that might be said of him as an opportunist, he had struck a blow for the liberty of the people. Irrespective of consequences, the Premier, not as Premier, but as leader of the House, had prevented their honour and dignity being trailed in the dust, and any man who would not follow him was a base coward and unworthy of his position as a representative of the people. Personally he would rather submit himself to the electorate he represented than vote for the amendment. He represented a constituency to whom this principle was near and dear, and he believed that the people would stand by the action which the Legislative Assembly was now taking.

Mr. WALL said that he would support the motion, as he considered the hon. gentleman had adopted a course which the other night had met with the almost unanimous approval of the House. The bill had been sent up to the Upper House before, and had been neglected because the Assembly had never been in a position to insist on its being carried before. He would be quite content to go to the country on this matter, and would vote for the motion.

Mr. HUTCHISON (Glen Innes) said that he considered the proper course to have taken on this question would have been simply to compliment the Premier on his action and then to have put the question. He was in support of the principle of payment of members, and believed that the authorities which had been quoted to-night settled the question conclusively.

Mr. HAROLD STEPHEN said that they were in a very delicate position in dealing with this question, and this position had been rendered all the more difficult by the utterances of certain hon. members.

The motion for the suspension of the Standing Orders was then agreed to.

Sir HENRY PARKES introduced the Parliamentary Representatives Allowance Bill, and moved that it be read the first time.

The motion was agreed to, and the bill was read the first time.

Sir HENRY PARKES moved that the bill be printed and read a second time.

Mr. COPELAND said that he wished to take the Speaker's ruling as to whether the bill was in order. He maintained that it contravened the Constitution Act with regard to offices of profit, and in support of this view he read the Constitution Act Amendment Act.

After a discussion, in which Mr. MELVILLE and Mr. SLATTERY took part,

Mr. SPEAKER ruled that the point was one of law and not of order.

The bill was read a second time, and the House, on the motion of Sir HENRY PARKES, went into a Committee of the Whole to consider the bill in detail.

On Clause 2, "Allowance to members of the Legislative Assembly,"

Mr. REID moved an amendment providing for the payment to commence from the passing of the bill, instead of from the beginning of the present Parliament.

Sir HENRY PARKES said that in view of the position he occupied he did not feel in a position to give his consent to accept the amendment; but if the gentlemen in favour of the bill chose to make the alteration suggested he should not oppose it in any way.

Mr. J. P. ABBOTT, as one of those who had supported the Government, felt inclined to support the amendment, as by doing so he would be conceding nothing at all to the Upper House except what was decent.

Mr. COPELAND supported the amendment.

Mr. SLATTERY said he would vote against the third reading of the bill rather than make such a compromise as that proposed.

At this stage (12.50) the committee adjourned for half-an-hour.

Mr. DIBBS, when the House resumed, said the Opposition, with a view to bring the matter to a close, would accept the amendment, which would conciliate the Upper House, and would not abandon any principle. Sir Henry Parkes said, if the majority of the House desired the amendment, he could not object. As far as he was personally concerned, he would not care if his hon. friends opposite rejected the bill altogether. He was only acting in defence of the rights and privileges of the House.

Mr. COPELAND moved a new clause to the effect that accepting payment should not be accepting an office of profit under the Crown.

The motion was negatived.

The bill passed through all its stages.

Sir HENRY PARKES announced that Mr. Suttor had resigned the office of Vice-President of the Council.

The House rose at 25 minutes past 2 o'clock.

## NEW NOTICES.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.—WEDNESDAY, JULY 31.

Mr. Wall to move,—That there be laid upon the table of this House a return showing the amount to the credit of the roads offices in the various roads districts of the colony on the 31st of December of each year, since 1883 up to date; also showing the amount of such sums written off by the Treasurer, and when written off; also specifying all cases in which the local roads officers have been consulted prior to writing off such sums, and whether written off on the recommendation of such officers.

Mr. Tonkin to move,—That, in the opinion of this House, the Government should include in their railway policy the construction of a light line of railway from Tarana to the Jenolan Caves, via Oberon.

Mr Bruce Smith to move,—That it be referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works to consider and report on the expediency of constructing a line of railway from Goulburn to Crookwell, as explained by the mover.

Mr. Bruce Smith to move,—That it be referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works to consider and report on the expediency of constructing a line of railway from Nyngan to Cobar, as explained by the mover.

Mr. Bruce Smith to move,—That it be referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works to consider and report on the expediency of constructing a line of railway from Kiama to Nowra, as explained by the mover.

Mr. Bruce Smith to move,—That it be referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works to consider and report on the expediency of constructing a line of railway from Marrickville to the Burwood-road, a distance of four miles 40 chains, as explained by the mover.

Mr. Bruce Smith to move,—That it be referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works to consider and report on the expediency of constructing a line of railway to connect the North Shore railway with the deep waters of Port Jackson at Milson's Point, as explained by the mover.

Mr. Bruce Smith to move,—That it be referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, to consider and report on the expediency of constructing a breakwater at Byron Bay, as explained by the mover.

Mr. Chanter to move,—That, in the opinion of this House, the amount of subsidy to be paid to agricultural associations should be in the proportion of £1 to each £1 locally contributed.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1.

Mr. Sydney Smith to move,—That this House will, on Tuesday next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the expediency of bringing in a bill to make better provision for the regulation of coal mines and collieries.

"CHLOROSONE," the most reliable and best "disinfectant" in the world, may be had of Messrs. W. Soul and Co., Lassetter and Co., and Hanks and Co.—[ADVT.]

## *MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.*

### SYDNEY.

The ordinary monthly meeting of the Municipal Council of Sydney was held yesterday in the Town Hall. The Mayor (Alderman J. Harris) presided, and there were also present Aldermen Beare, Bryen, Buckle, Chapman, Dean, Hardie, M. Harris, Hart, Hughes, Jeanneret, Kippax, Lees, MacMahon, Manning, Martin, Meeks, Playfair, Riley, Withers, and J. D. Young.

QUESTIONS.

In reply to a number of questions by Alderman Withers as to the top-dressing now in progress in Pitt-street, it was stated that this work is being carried out at private cost. He was further informed that the Post Office Land Resumption Bill now before Parliament did not give powers which would enable the council, in conjunction with the Government, to carry out many similar improvements.

PETITIONS.

A petition was received from residents of Williams-lane, between Macarthur and William Henry streets, Ultimo, for the council to authorise and carry out the forming and kerbing of this lane. The petition was presented by Alderman Buckle.

Alderman BEARE presented a petition from residents in Brougham-street for that street to be completed.

THE CONDITION OF FORT-STREET.

Alderman PLAYFAIR brought under the notice of the Council the dirty state of Fort and Kent streets after the recent rains.

THE ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS.

Alderman J. D. YOUNG moved,—"That the resolution of council of date the 2nd of July, 1889, ordering that a letter be written to the Council of the Zoological Society, requesting that the fence and other erections on the eastern boundary of the society's grounds be put back, so as to allow of the asphalt walk between the trees in Moore Park being extended as originally planned, be, and the same is hereby rescinded."

A letter, received from the secretary to the Zoological Society, enclosing resolutions adopted by the society in view of the resolution passed at the last meeting of the council, was read. The council were assured that if their resolution was carried into effect the gardens of the society would be virtually destroyed, and the society would be put to a great expense, which they were not at present in a position to incur.

Alderman RILEY said that his intention in moving the resolution at the last meeting of the council was merely to acquaint the society with an encroachment which had been made upon the roadway. It was not his wish to put the society in any dilemma, but to allow the encroachment would give an implied right to the society to erect buildings on the portion of the ground already encroached upon. He should oppose the motion.

The motion was carried with one dissentient only.

IMPROVEMENT OF GROSVENOR SQUARE.

Alderman PLAYFAIR moved, and it was agreed to without discussion,—"That, in accordance with the recommendation of the finance committee, Grosvenor-square be tar-metalled by contract." He further moved, and it was agreed to,—"That, in accordance with the recommendation of the finance committee, the thoroughfare opposite St. Philip's School, in Grosvenor-square, be planted with ornamental trees, at a cost not to exceed £50."

THE SUSPENSION OF MR. QUANTOCK.

The Town Clerk read a letter from Mr. Quantock, inspector of the western division of the city, conveying additional reasons for his conduct with reference to the report made by him concerning the Square and Compass Hotel. In the letter he said—"The reports which had appeared in the papers have caused me considerable pain of mind, from the fact that my error has been attributed to motives of self-interest. This, I hasten to inform you, is not the case, and I openly challenge any person to prove the contrary. I am painfully aware that I made an error, and I am greatly troubled at the consequences of it: but I would pray that my previous long services and good conduct may be allowed to weigh in my favour, and that if possible you will extend clemency to me on this account."

Alderman MANNING moved,—"That the suspension of Mr. William Quantock, inspector of the western division of the city, in the department of the City Building Surveyor, as reported by his worship the Mayor to the council this day, be confirmed, and that he be and is hereby dismissed from the service of the City Council."

The motion was agreed to without discussion.

LIGHTING OF THE CENTENNIAL HALL.

Upon the motion of Alderman TAYLOR,—"That the council do now proceed to consider tenders for the supply of fittings for lighting the Centennial Hall," a discussion arose, and it was decided to refer the matter to a committee, who should inspect the designs, and report to the council which it would be desirable to accept. A letter was read from Mr. Carson Woods bearing upon the question. A similar motion, dealing with the electric lighting of the Fish Market, Woolloomooloo, was referred to the same committee.

THE RENTING OF CORPORATION WHARFS.

Alderman JEANNERET moved, and there being no objection, it was agreed,—"That in the opinion of this Council, the demand for excessive rents by the Government for the ends of the public streets of the City of Sydney, and for the corporation properties, is unjust to the citizens, and beyond the powers of the Council to comply with; and that a deputation from this Council be appointed to wait on the Minister for Lands to point out to him the injustice of the claims, and to ask for a reconsideration of the matters referred to." Also "That the opinion of counsel be taken as to the powers of this Council to prevent any nuisance from the improper use of steam whistles; and that if it be found that the Council does not possess the requisite power, the necessary provisions to be included in the new bill now being prepared for submission to Parliament."

COMMEMORATIVE TABLET FOR THE CENTENNIAL HALL.

Alderman TAYLOR moved, and it was agreed to,—"That design No. 1, prepared by the City Architect, for a tablet commemorative of the laying of the foundation-stone of the Centennial Hall by the late Mayoress (Mrs. John Harris), be adopted, and that the same be executed in marble and erected in a prominent position in the hall, at a cost not to exceed £150."

MISCELLANEOUS.

The following motions were agreed to without discussion:—By Alderman Lees,—"That the city surveyor be instructed to report upon the cost and advisability of taking up the bluestone cubes in Pitt-street, at the intersections of King, Market, and Park streets, and repaving same with wood blocks." By Alderman Chapman,—"That, in accordance with the recommendation of the finance committee, tenders be invited for a supply of 100 ballot-boxes." By Alderman Withers,—"That the report of the lighting committee, received this day, recommending the erection of a public lamp on the north side of Park-road, between Oatley-road and Regent-street, be adopted." By Alderman Beare,—"That the report of the lighting committee, received this day, recommending the erection of public lamps in the undermentioned localities, be adopted:—Billyard-avenue, Elizabeth Bay, two lamps; Amos-lane, at the rear of Mr. Nathan's-terrace; lane off Barcom-avenue, Darlinghurst." By Alderman MacMahon,—"That the report of the lighting committee, received this day, recommending the erection of a public lamp at the intersection of Barncleuth and Roslyn Avenues, be adopted." By Alderman Bryen,—"That the report of the Lighting Committee, received this day, recommending the erection of public lamps in the undermentioned localities, be adopted:—Knox-street, at its intersection with Blackfriars Estate; Abercrombie-street, between George-street West and Irving-street; lane off Newtown-road, immediately to the south of George-street West; Buckingham-street, between Cleveland-street and Belvoir-street, and the re-arrangement of existing lamp." Alderman Meeks,—"That in accordance with the report of the finance committee, Shepherd-street, from Myrtle-street northerly to its termination, be cut down and reformed, &c., at a cost not exceeding £300." "That in accordance with the recommendation of the finance committee, city drainers' licenses be issued to the undermentioned parties for the year 1889:—Robert Brown, Ridge-street, St. Leonards; John Middleton, 61, Shepherd-street; M. I. Dempsey, Prospect-road, Summer Hill." By Alderman Buckle,—"That the report of the lighting committee, received this day, recommending the erection of public lamps in the undermentioned localities, be adopted:—Crown-lane, between M'Arthur-street and William Henry-street (two lamps); Pyrmont-street, between Fig-street and Allen-street; Church-street, between Harris and Pyrmont streets." By Alderman M. Harris,—"That the report of the lighting committee, received this day, recommending the erection of a a public lamp on the east side of Wattle-street, south of Gipps-crescent, be adopted." By Alderman Dean,—"That in accordance with the 17th section of the City of Sydney Improvement Act, this council approves of the proposed deviations from the requirements of the Act, in the construction of, or alterations or additions to, buildings belonging to the undermentioned parties:—Mansfield Bros.—Construct areas to basement of store, Phillip-street; Norman Selfe—Enclose lift, Wright, Heaton, and Co.'s premises, with corrugated iron."

### ASHFIELD.

The usual meeting of the council was held on July 23. Present: The full council. Correspondence—From Water Board, notifying that mains would be laid in St. David's-road, Fleet, and Dalhousie streets. The finance committee's report, recommending payment of accounts amounting to £841 2s. 8d., was adopted. The credit balance in bank was shown to be £4273 9s. 3d. The following motions were carried: By Alderman Mortley—"That the footpath in Elizabeth-street, between Alt and Bland streets, be asphalted." "That a strip of asphalt be laid on Frederick-street footpath, from Mr. Murray's to the Albert-parade, and also on the parade on the south side to Alt-street." "That the main drain from the railway culvert to Banks-street be deepened and lined with concrete, at a cost not to exceed £4000." "That a survey be made of the watershed south of the Parramatta-road, in the North Ward, with a view of dealing with the storm-waters." "That the recommendation of finance committee be adopted, that suitable offices and council-chambers be erected at a cost not to exceed £4000, and the amount be borrowed by mortgage on the property, under the provisions of the Municipal Loans Act of 1888." By Alderman Beaver: "That £25 be voted for widening bridge, Thomas-street." "That Thomas-street footpath be asphalted with 4ft. strip at cost of £20." By Alderman Lyttle: "That the footpath in Moonbie-street, west side, between Smith-street and Short-street, be asphalted full width, at a cost of £22 4s. 6d." "That a retaining wall be built at creek in Edward-street, at a cost not exceeding £42." By Alderman Brown: "That a wooden bridge be erected over the gutter at the intersection of Milton-street north and Thomas-street, at a cost not to exceed £20." "That the remaining portion of the footpath in Liverpool-road, between Queen-street and Victoria-street, be kerbed, guttered, and asphalted, at a cost of £70." "That a strip of asphalt be laid on footpath Prospect-road, between Seaview and Robert streets, at a cost of £30; also in Tintern-road, west side, at a cost of £15.

### ALEXANDRIA.

The fortnightly meeting of this council was held in the Town Hall on July 18, when there were present: The Mayor (Alderman Dacey), Aldermen Ralph, Turner, Jesson, Harden, Foskett, Molyneaux, and Cloughessey. Correspondence. From the Water and Sewerage Board intimating their approval of the proposed extension of the water-main in Mitchell-road to Huntley-street. Received. From Messrs. E. Vickery and Sons, inquiring what action the council intended taking in reference to the damage done to the Vulcan Brickworks by floods. Received. From the Board of Health, stating that one case of typhoid fever had been removed from the borough during the month of June. Received. From the trustees of the Macdonaldtown Park, stating that they would avail themselves of the permission granted by the council to deposit rubbish on the park. Received. Alderman Turner drew the attention of the council to the state of Brandon-lane, and moved that a water-table be constructed there, which was seconded by Alderman Jesson, and carried. Amount of accounts passed for payment, £72 19s. 9d.

### FIVE DOCK.

This council met at the town hall, Five Dock, on Tuesday last, when there were present his Worship the Mayor (Mr. M. O. Foley), Aldermen Croker, Poolman, Byrne, Newson, Greaves, and Sutton. A mass of correspondence was read:—From Mr. F. C. Starkey, giving a date upon which he would commence the audit ordered by the council. The Rev. Mr. Whitcombe complained of the state of the roads near his property. Five other letters dealing with similar complaints were received. After some discussion they were referred to the inspector of works for improvements where needful. Messrs. A. Lysaght and Co. expressed their willingness to contribute material for repairs to Blackwall Point-road. The matter was referred to the works committee. Mr. C. T. Starkey intimated that he was prepared to undertake the auditing of the council's books. The secretary of the Botanic Gardens stated that as the trees were being distributed, a number would be sent for the local park. A petition presented for additional lamps in Lyons-road was referred to the lighting committee. Messrs. John Dawson and Sons, solicitors to Alderman Croker, wrote with regard to the damage sustained by Alderman Croker's property during the late floods. Consideration of the letter was made an order of the day for next meeting. The secretary of the Balmain Steam Ferry Company acknowledged the council's letter upon the subject of repairs to wharfs, but intimated that the board had not determined the matter yet. Mr. A. Whitton supplied information as to work necessary at some of the wharfs. Messrs. Richardson and Wrench requested information with reference to certain alignments. Upon the report of the finance committee, a number of accounts were passed for payment amounting in all to £69 5s. 4d. The Mayor answered several inquiries, after which the council's officers presented their reports, which were adopted. Motions: By Alderman Croker,—"That the Mayor be empowered to purchase a cargo of blue metal for repairs to Harris and North roads." Carried. By Alderman Sutton,—"That tenders be called for the collection of all outstanding rates." Carried.

### LEICHHARDT.

A meeting of the Leichhardt Council was held at the Town Hall on Monday, 22nd July, when there were present, in the chair Alderman Neale, in the absence of the Mayor, and Aldermen Sadler, Smith, M.L.A., Cook, Davidson, Hyde, Cropley, Little, and Wragge. A letter was received from Mr. W. Mesiner, the recently appointed treasurer for the borough, declining to sign the guarantee bond upon grounds stated. The letter was referred to the finance committee for their report. The secretary to the General Post Office wrote, informing the council of the appointment of an extra letter-carrier for North Annandale.

### RYDE.

A meeting of the Ryde Council was held on July 26. Present: The Mayor (Alderman Lovell), Aldermen Goodsell, Lovell, Dean, Forsyth, and Atkins. Finance: Accounts amounting to £64 16s. 6d. were passed for payment. Reports: The works committee recommended the following works:—A pipe drain to be laid in the Buffalo-road, and repairs to the road to be also done; a wooden culvert or bridge to be substituted for the pipe drain in Bridge-road, and the road to be repaired where necessary; a portion of Blaxland-road, adjoining Dundas municipality, to be also repaired. The report was received. The inspector of nuisances reported on the recent outbreak of an infectious nature among cattle in the municipality. The particulars have appeared in the *Herald*. Correspondence: From Department of Lands, informing the council that the dedication of Providence-road had been confirmed, and the road was now in charge of the Borough Council. Received. From James Park, Gladesville, asking the council to form part of Bridge-street, on the condition of paying £1 to every £4 expended by the council. The street not having been dedicated, no municipal money could be spent thereon.

### ST. PETERS.

The fortnightly meeting of this council was held in the Town Hall on Monday evening, the 22nd of July, when there were present: The Mayor, with Aldermen Baker, Geering, H. Harbor, Walmsley, Hayes, E. J. Harbor, and the council clerk. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. The following correspondence was dealt with:—From the Borough of Marrickville, intimating that they had already put a stone culvert half-way across Unwin's Bridge-road, at the place referred to in the communication, and all that was required to extend the same through their half of the bridge way. Received. From Mr. Lewis, local Government engineer, stating that he was awaiting receipt of a letter from the Alexandria Council as regards the boundaries of that municipality. Received. From the secretary of the Board of Health, intimating that on the 15th of June last three persons—namely, James, William, and Norah Townsend—had been admitted to the Metropolitan Hospital suffering from typhoid fever. Received. From the Acting-Secretary for Railways, supplying a list of persons claiming compensation for land taken for railway purposes at Tempe. Received. A return of correspondence as regards an alleged nuisance near Sparke's Bridge in the Borough of Alexandria, ordered to be printed by the Legislative Assembly, was received. The finance committee's report, as follows, was read and adopted:—Amount of accounts passed for payment, £77 18s. 11d.; amount banked since the 8th instant, £96 13s. 6d.; special lighting account, £27 7s.; total £124. General Balance—Dr., £169 5s. Cr., lighting account, £80 7s. 3d. The report of the works' committee, empowered the Mayor to deal with the matter as regards Rolfe's-lane, the inspector of nuisances and the dairies' committees' reports were also read and adopted. Moved by Alderman Geering, and seconded by Alderman Baker, "That the sum of £50 be voted for repairs to May-street, when funds are available, for carrying out the work recommended by the works committee on October 1, 1888." Carried. The council then adjourned.

### HURSTVILLE.

The fortnightly meeting of the above council was held on Thursday evening last, the Mayor (Alderman Hugh Patrick) in the chair, with Aldermen Bull, Humphrey, Halstead, Osgood, Fripp, Milsop, and Sproule, J.P. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. Inward correspondence was received and dealt with as follows:—From the secretary Penshurst Park Company, covering dedication of 10ft., junction of Forest-road and Queensbury-road. The same was received with thanks. Also a letter from the secretary of the same company stating that the rate-notices were not delivered to them until the 16th July, thereby preventing them from appealing. Received, and inquiries to be made. From council's valuers, Messrs. Thompson and Pollock, asking for an extra vote upon their contract for valuation. Received, and the matter was deferred. From the secretary Peakhurst Park Company, asking when rate notices for the current year would be delivered. A suitable reply was directed to be sent. From Mr. John M'Leod, complaining as to his rate notices, &c. From Mr. Charles Howard, asking that immediate repairs may be effected to the Stoney Creek-road, it being one of the most important thoroughfares in the municipality. Referred to the works committee for their report. A letter from the council clerk of Gosford, relative to municipal taxation, was received. From the secretary of the Railway Department, addressed to Mr. Wheeler, M.L.A., upon the subject of lighting the Hurstville railway station with gas, and stating that the same is having attention. From the council clerk, Rockdale, relative to the Hurstville council's proposal to metal Harrow-road, each council paying a moiety, the cost to be £17, and intimating his council's willingness, subject to the Hurstville council paying half cost of labour also. Received, and request complied with. From the Municipal Association, asking for names and addresses of aldermen appointed to represent the council on the forthcoming season, and asking for annual subscription. The Mayor and Alderman Charles Bull were appointed as delegates. From Mr. J. H. Walker, complaining of the inconveniences he has sustained in consequence of the manner in which Park-road has been made. Received, and the complaint to be considered. Numerous other letters, complaining respectively of the defective state of roads and footways, were all referred to the works committee for their consideration. A letter was directed to be sent to the Gas Company, calling their attention to clause 1 in last agreement submitted, which was intended for the previous one executed, pointing out that they limit the increase of 10 per cent. only on existing line of mains, which is not in accordance with the previous contract, and not the determination of the council. The Mayor presented a petition from a number of ratepayers, asking for repairs to Cross-street; also, one from Mr. C. Lardner and others, asking that the Forest-road may be attended to, it being in an impassable condition. The former was referred to the works committee, and the latter petitioners to be informed that repairs have already been recommended by the works committee Motions: By Alderman Fripp,—"That the members for the district be written to, asking them to use their influence in securing from the Government the sum of £500, to be expended upon Mort's-road." Carried. By Alderman Osgood,—"That the plans and specifications for Bauman's-road be and the same is hereby adopted, and that tenders be forthwith called." Carried. By Alderman Sproule,—"That the plans and specifications for Millett-street be and the same is hereby adopted." Carried. Also,—"That this council call for tenders for the supply of 1000 tons of blue metal, broken to 2½in. gauge, to be delivered on the Forest-road where required." Carried. Tenders were opened for Albyn-street, and Messrs. Murray and Fleming were the successful tenderers, £21 5s. The council then rose.

### WATERLOO.

The fortnightly meeting of this council was held on Thursday last. Present: The Mayor (Mr. Alderman Howe, M.L.A.), and Aldermen White, Williams, Smith and Lamond. Messrs. Bradley and Son, solicitors, wrote, forwarding, as previously arranged, an indemnity by the German Consul-General, Sydney, for the payment of the interest due and accruing on the borough of Waterloo debentures destroyed by fire at Apia, Samoa, on January 9 last. The Secretary of the Australian Gaslight Company, wrote, forwarding agreement re reduction in price of public lights for execution and return, also copy of same for attachment to the council's own counterpart of the original agreement. The Secretary to the General Post Office wrote, in answer to the council's request for an earlier delivery of the morning letters at the town hall, Waterloo, stating that enquiry had been been made in the matter, and it had been found that the letter-carrier, although making every possible effort could not reach the town hall more quickly than he does; temporary arrangements had, however, been made under which a much earlier delivery of the council's correspondence would be effected. Received. From the Secretary Government Railways of New South Wales, complaining of the annoyance and frequent interruption to tram traffic which are experienced from cattle straying on to the tram-lines within the Borough of Waterloo, and requesting that steps may be taken to abate the nuisance. Received, and referred to inspector for investigation and report. The treasurer reported: General receipts, £492 2s. 6d.; expenditure, £149 4s. 4d. Sale of sand, Mount Carmel Park, £21 12s. 3d.; expenditure, £19 5s. 3d. Bank balances—general account, dr. £1137 12s. 5d.; park, cr., £4 13s. 1d. On the motion of Alderman Lamond, seconded by Alderman Smith, it was resolved to invite delegates from the neighbouring boroughs to join this council in a deputation to the Minister for Public Works, to urge the Government to extend Lachlan-street to the Randwick-road.

### PROSPECT AND SHERWOOD.

A meeting of the above council was held on the 25th instant. Present—The Mayor (Alderman T. Muston) in the chair; Aldermen Austris, Holker, Jones, G. Muston, Playford, and Stieme. The finance committee's report was received and adopted. Provision was made therein for a sum of money to pay for the issue of summonses against defaulting ratepayers. The works committee's report, apportioning the money for the various works to be carried out during the year, was received and adopted. The Mayor was empowered to have the various works mentioned in the report carried out. Tenders for the kerbing and guttering required during the remainder of the year were ordered to be called for. The sum of £10 was passed for improvements not specified in the works report.

### MUNICIPAL NOTES.

On Friday the Mayor of Ryde (Alderman Lovell), Alderman Jordan, and Mr. F. A. Wright, M.L.A., accompanied an officer of the Government over Morrison's-road, which runs between Ryde and Gladesville. The object of the inspection was to show the necessity for a grant of £500 in order to put the road in a proper state of repair.

The Mayor of Rockdale (W. G. Judd) has handed to the clerk his resignation of Mayor and alderman to that council. There is to be a special meeting on Wednesday next for the election of a mayor.

The Hurstville Council are asking the members for Canterbury to meet them in conference upon the subject of the Forest-road.

## *QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS.*

The report of the Railway Commissioners for the quarter ended June 30th, 1889, was laid upon the table of the Legislative Assembly last evening. The report deals with the state of the traffic returns; the approximate cost and earnings of trains per ton per train mile in respect of goods and passengers respectively carried during the past quarter; the general condition of the lines and accommodation for the traffic; the special rates made and the reasons for making such rates; the appointments and removals of employees, with the circumstances attending each case.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

The state of the railway traffic is shown by the following summary:—Average number of miles open, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 2102; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 2131. Revenue from all sources, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, £535,365; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, £545,659. Expenditure, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, £398,657; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, £389,716. Number of passengers, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 3,883,410; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 4,100,460. Tonnage of coaching traffic, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 261,053; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 275,643. Tonnage of goods traffic, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 908,557; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 914,955. Tonnage of live stock traffic, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 20,980; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 23,946. Train miles run, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 1,671,893; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 1,834,579. Earnings per train mile, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 6s. 4¾d.; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 5s. 11¾d. Expenditure per train mile, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 4s. 9½d.; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 4s. 3d. Percentage—expenditure to earnings, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 74·46; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 71·42.

TRAMWAY TRAFFIC.

The state of the tramway traffic is shown by the following summary:—Revenue from all sources, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, £58,148; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, £62,761. Expenditure, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, £54,402; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, £55,849 (including £2800 for new cars). Number of fares collected, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 13,374,112; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 14,148,862; Train miles run, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 353,725; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 384,447. Earnings per train mile, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 3s. 3¾d.; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 3s. 3¼d. Expenditure per train mile, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 3s. 0¾d.; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 2s. 10¾d. Percentage—Expenditure to earnings, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 93·56; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 88·98.

GENERAL REMARKS.

The Commissioners make the subjoined general remarks:—The revenue for the quarter as compared with the corresponding period of 1888 shows an increase of £10,294, all descriptions of traffic showing an improvement. The increase in traffic would have been larger had it not been for the phenomenal rainfall experienced in May, which in one week caused a loss in revenue of £12,000. Throughout the rest of the quarter the traffic was considerably affected in some districts in consequence of the bad state of the roads rendering it almost impossible for the teams to travel. The working expenses in the Engineering Department were considerably augmented in consequence of a large additional extra staff having to be employed to repair the damage caused by the floods. The total expenditure, however, for the quarter shows a reduction. Materials have been ordered for relaying about 90 miles of railway, and tenders have been invited for 50 miles of fencing. Various works have also been ordered during the quarter for affording additional facilities for the traffic. Progress is being made with the earthworks for duplicating the lines between Granville Junction and Campbelltown, and Adamstown and Teralba. The earthworks for duplicating the line between Hurstville and George's River, and Sutherland and Waterfall, will also be shortly put in hand, so as to prepare for the coal traffic expected. Appended to the Commissioners' report are a report by Mr. Geo. Cowderoy on the condition of the railways and tramways under his charge for the quarter ended 30th June; a statement relating to goods, with respect to the carriage of which special rates were made; and returns relating to appointments and removals from the railway service. A foot-note to the report states that information as to the cost and earnings of trains, per ton per mile, cannot be given, as a large proportion of the train mileage is used for carrying both goods and passenger traffic.

The changes made in relation to the railway staff show a saving of £20,000 per annum.

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## *THE ROLLING STOCK, &c., ON THE NEW SOUTH WALES RAILWAYS.*

### REPORT BY MR. THOW.

The Minister for Railways (Hon. W. M'Millan), in accordance with a promise made to Mr. Crick, laid upon the table of the Legislative Assembly last evening a copy of the report relative to the rolling stock, &c., on the New South Wales railways, made by Mr. William Thow, M.I.M.E., Locomotive Engineer, South Australian Railways, to the Commissioners for Railways. The report, which is preceded by a minute by the Railway Commissioners, is as follows:—

"The Railway Commissioners, on finding that the rolling stock and locomotives were in a very unsatisfactory condition and that special steps would have to be taken to bring everything up to a proper standard, and also with the view of economical maintenance in the future, that standard plans for stock of all descriptions would have to be adopted, deemed it advisable to obtain an early and full report on the subject generally, and for this purpose Mr. Thow's services were obtained. Parliament now having called for this report, the Railway Commissioners send it forward, but consider it desirable to state that some of the recommendations made in the paper have not yet been considered by them."

It appears that the memorandum of instructions sent by the Railway Commissioners to Mr. Thow was dated January 30th last. Mr. Thow, reporting to the Commissioners under date of March 20th, writes:—"I saw the engines working under their ordinary conditions, without any of those preparations or efforts to effect maximum results, which frequently destroy the practical and comparative value of special tests, consequently the conclusions at which I have arrived, based, as they are, on work which your engines are doing daily, would not be materially altered by a long acquaintance with the questions involved. I was not so fortunate, during my inspections, as to see the effect of bad weather on the hauling power of the engines, on the steepest grades, but of course that disturbing cause has been taken into account. When at Newcastle I paid especial attention to the requirements of the coal traffic in the various yards, and consider there is need for powerful engines to conduct it. During my inspections I examined the state of your rolling stock. I found it to be very far from good, or in an efficient state of repair. The waggon stock is particularly bad. The state of the carriages is not good, and many of the locomotives are very greatly in need of repair. This condition of things is due, in a great measure, to the insufficient accommodation and want of machinery which the department suffered from prior to the removal of the workshops from Redfern to Eveleigh. . . . Your present permanent way is not, I regret to say, in perfect order; the joints are unusually numerous and not strong, and the rails are in many places out of form. As a consequence the engines ride very roughly over portions of the road, especially when running at high speeds, by which their wear and tear is unduly increased. Engines out of order necessarily re-act on the road, and the maintenance of both engines and road becomes more costly than it would be if the permanent way was placed in efficient condition. Taking into consideration the heavy character of the work to be done by your engines, the frequency and sharpness—8 chains—of the curves on your lines, the comparatively high speeds at which the quickest of your trains must occasionally run, the limit of load per axle (11 tons per axle), and the prospect of your having an improved permanent way at no very distant day, I have arrived at the general conclusion that your lines and traffic require six-wheels coupled engines for goods trains, and that for express passenger trains it is not advisable to employ engines with more than four-coupled wheels. At the present time it is manifest that the four-wheels coupled engines in your service have got as much work to do as they are fit for, and yet the prospect of increasing express traffic must not be lost sight of. The expected strengthening of the permanent way will permit, when it takes place, enlarged four-wheels coupled engines to be used. In the meantime it is possible to obtain engines of greater power than those at present in use, and up to the limit which the accepted load of 14 tons per axle imposes. While on this subject of economy in working, I will mention a disposition in the practice of your locomotive department which I am not able to endorse, viz., the employment of steel fire-box plates, and steel or iron tubes. The experience which I have had of such materials during the last six and a-half years, which were supplied in 16 engines by a first-class American firm, has proved absolutely their great inferiority for economic purposes as compared with copper plates and brass tubes in the construction of locomotive boilers. And it has been as thoroughly proved that the substitution of copper plates and brass tubes in the same boilers has made them very much better steam producers, thereby increasing the practical power of the engines, and enabling them to do more work. I strongly recommend the abandonment of steel for such purposes."

Mr. Thow's recommendations for future types of locomotives may be thus summarised:—That 15 engines be broken up or sold at once; 87 be allowed to wear themselves out or sold; 132 be altered into more useful machines, but not repeated; 195 contained in classes 93, 158, 205, and 255, be adopted as standard machines, and slightly modified as opportunity occurs; that the future express engine be 255 class, modified; the future mail and express stock engine be a new type similar to class 205; the future tank suburban engine be either a new and more powerful type, or 158 class, modified; the future ordinary goods engine be 205 class, modified; and the future heavy coal and shunting engine be either the existing 17 and 48 classes, converted into tank engines, or 93 class repeated as a tank engine. Exclusive of the state, dining, sleeping carriages, and composite brake vans, there are 580 ordinary passenger vehicles in the service, and they consist of 22 different types, thus divided:—Second-class, 7 types, 290 vehicles; first-class, 9 types, 157 vehicles; composites, 6 types, 133 vehicles. Mr. Thow recommends that 43 old open converted "thirds" be condemned at once as quite unfit for passenger use, removed out of service, broken up or sold. That 163 "seconds," 55 "firsts," and 64 "composites" be also condemned, on account of their ages, costliness of maintenance, the extreme shortness of their compartments, lowness of roofs, and general discomfort. That they be removed out of service, broken up or otherwise disposed of, as soon as new vehicles of improved types can be substituted. It is thus proposed to remove as early as convenient 325 vehicles from the service. The remaining carriages are 84 'seconds,' 102 'firsts,' and 69 'composites,' or a total in all of 255 vehicles. These carriages are the best of the stock now under consideration, and the only portion of it worth spending money upon for maintenance. Even some of them afford extremely poor accommodation. Mr. Thow is of opinion that none of the types herein recommended for maintenance should be repeated, and suggests that our future carriage stock be built from designs differing widely from the existing types, so as to give reasonable accommodation and comfort to travellers. He is, he writes, conscious that the above recommendations necessarily involve a very large expenditure, but he thinks it is quite time that the line of action which the carriage branch is to follow in the future be chosen and undeviatingly worked to, so that the much more costly practice of patching up time after time comparatively worthless stock—which can never give satisfaction—may be discontinued. Twelve old four-wheeled vans especially are, Mr. Thow reports, not worth further expense to maintain. There are 17 sleeping-cars. The original sleepers imported from America 10 and 12 years ago are still in much better order than the others subsequently constructed in the colony to the same design. This result is important, and is, Mr. Thow points out, greatly due to the inferiority and unseasoned condition of the timber used in the colonial cars as compared with the American vehicles. There are 8940 vehicles for merchandise traffic in the service. Neglecting variations of minor importance (a though very numerous) in their dimensions and styles of construction, and arranging them in accordance with the main features by which they are recognised in the service, Mr. Thow finds there are 23 distinct types. The condition of the merchandise stock on the New South Wales lines, with the exception of the special vehicles classified S, T, U, V, and W, is, for the greater part, almost as bad as it is possible for rolling stock to be in, and Mr. Thow is not able to recommend the repetition of the present designs in any case. This unsatisfactory result has been mainly brought about by using timbers insufficiently seasoned or affected by dry rot, in these vehicles, and also to some extent through the want of paint after manufacture. The following is Mr. Thow's valuation of existing engines, carriages, waggons, and other vehicles, for passenger and goods traffic on the New South Wales railways:—429 locomotives, £736,750; 1065 passenger vehicles, £385,780; 8940 merchandise vehicles, £700,150: total, £1,822,680. (The Railway Commissioners have here made a note to the effect that the valuation as per the report of the Commissioner for Railways for 1887 is £3,256,421.) Mr. Thow examined the machinery in the workshops at Sydney, Newcastle, Bathurst, Penrith, and Goulburn. He does not consider it in excess of our requirements, although so far as that for metal working is concerned, it is quite sufficient for many years to come. There is, however, he writes, a deficiency of woodworking machinery, and a few additions, not many, may be required to that section.

## *LECTURE.*

The sixth of the winter series of lectures in connection with the Sydney City Mission was delivered in the Waterloo Ragged School on Monday night, by the Rev. D. Smith, M.A. The subject chosen was "John Bright." There was a very good attendance. Mr. A. Spence presided. The lecturer divided Mr. Bright's career into four periods. First: His early life until his return to Parliament from 1811-42. Second: His representation of Durham, including the Corn-Laws agitation and repeal, from 1842-47. Third: His representation of Manchester from 1847-57, including his early Irish debates, the discussion of the Crimean War and his first illness. Fourth: His representation of Birmingham from 1857 till his death, a long period of 32 years. The lecture was listened to throughout with great attention, and at the close a hearty vote of thanks was accorded to the lecturer and chairman.

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## IN THE HOUSE.

The Premier answered at some length a rather important question by Mr. Traill concerning Western Australia. That portion of the continent, consisting of close on a million square miles, is still governed direct from Downing-street, and is denied the advantages, such as they are, of representative rule. Of late the proposal has been made at St. Stephen's to endow the southern portion of the vast possession with local government, and turn the northern into a receptacle for all the tramps of Asia. Sir Henry has proposed a conference, as the question is a momentous one. He would be glad if the Parliamentary system was extended to all Australia, but he was by no means enamoured of a method that might result in the introduction of alien and inferior races. Mr. Playfair would think himself unworthy to fill the position he does if he shut his eyes to the fact that vehicles approaching the abattoirs through Pyrmont have frequently to be carried instead of drawn to prevent them from disappearing in the mud. The Minister for Works knew that Pyrmont mud was bad, especially at this season of the year, and so would take means to have the matter cleared up. Regarding the straightening of Essex-street, too, Mr. Playfair had his say. This thoroughfare, like most of its Sydney confrères, has various little kinks and corners that detract materially from that severe simplicity so necessary for highways. It is the project of paring these down, and so making the street presentable, that Mr. Playfair has next his heart.

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The real business of the sitting may be said to have commenced with the Premier's motion regarding the suspension of any portion of the Standing Orders that would prevent the passage of the Payment of Members Bill through all its stages in one day. This was shortly before 6. The curious thing was that the portion of Sir Henry's appeal delivered before dinner was rather conciliatory and apologetic in its tone, while that coming after—when one would have thought that the effects of a good meal would show themselves in additional complaisance—was even as a clarion blast calling to battle. The Chief Secretary's principal fear was lest those unacquainted with his political character—those unaware of the sacrifices he has always been ready to make in the cause of peace and quietness—should misunderstand his action. Nothing is so terrible as the being misunderstood by those we love. He began by apologising for some of the language made use of by him on Thursday, when his feelings ran high. True, he had no love for a nominee Chamber, nor, so far as appearances went, had it much for him. He was opposed, also, to paying popular representatives; still the Council, in its shortsightedness, left him no option, but foolishly forced him up a *cul-de-sac* where, having reached the end, he was at last bound to get his back up (against the wall) and fight. The Premier had a few words to say on the British Commons, and the splendid position it occupied to-day in contrast with its ignoble status in times gone by. Certain it is that under Norman and Plantagenet the members of the English Commons had to walk very warily and behave very becomingly, or they would soon be brought to their senses in a manner more persuasive than pleasant. It was the Tudors however—Mr. Froude's pets—that brought the art of bullying Parliaments to a height which it never reached before or since. When Henry VIII., was attaching monasteries and maidens, the idea of any members opposing his Majesty's wishes was ludicrous. His daughter, too, the lion-hearted Bess, would have made short work of the people's representatives who dared to question her right to raise money and spend it as she liked. Gradually, however, the Lower House, once so humble, pushed priest, patrician, and prince aside, and took the lead with an apparent resolve to keep it.

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For certain reasons Sir Henry thought two Houses better than one. The assumption, however, that because two were needful they were to be equals in power as well was not alone visionary, but vicious. Co-ordinate Houses would never march side by side without stopping every few yards to fight. What he chiefly objected to was this tendency of the Legislative Council to get up on stilts, put out its tongue and bawl, "I'm just as good's you; if you don't b'lieve it, come on an' let's have it out." It is bad enough in the Premier's eyes to be defied by your match, by a person of equal strength, stamina, and pluck. But to be flouted by a weakling that would fall asunder at the first touch was really too much. As an instance of the care taken to thoroughly examine a measure before passing it, the Colonial Secretary cited the case of a proposal sent to the Council in 1873. It has not returned yet, and as those who sent it so long ago are principally dead, it is unlikely that anyone will know the little wanderer if by any chance it should ever find its way back. At this point Mr. J. P. Abbott got in, "I always thought Upper Houses were for the purpose of checking hasty legislation. I begin to believe it now." Indeed, they are not unlike Chinese dramas so far as leisurely proceedings are concerned. At Pekin a Chinese will sit 10 hours a-day for a week to hear a portion of the first act of a new melodrama. He will then come to Australia, raise vegetables or keep a store for years, and return to his native metropolis to find that, now he is a grizzled man, the play whose opening he saw when a boy is nearly half through. As for desiring to lower the Upper Chamber in the country's eyes, everybody that knew him knew how repugnant such a course would be to the whole course of his political career.

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Mr. Dibbs insinuated that however admirably a portion of Sir Henry's speech would suit a noisy hustings, it was quite out of place in a "cool, calm, and deliberative Assembly, like the present." The Legislative Assembly of New South Wales has been called a number of hard names. But it is doubtful whether such an accusation as the foregoing was ever levelled at it before. Mr. Reid was in a form that boded ill for those interrupting him with irrelevant interjections. He began by showing that an elective Upper Chamber, whatever other virtues it might possess, would certainly be deficient in patience and placability. It would be found that an elected body could give just as good as it got in the way of threats or strong language. One cannot help admiring the simplicity of those who think that the only thing necessary in order to prevent collisions between two branches of a Legislature is to have both elective. Finality could, of course, be secured by various means, such as letting both Houses vote together in certain cases, and by many others. But, so far from preventing disputes, or reconciling antagonistic views, the change would be in vain. It was Mr. Reid's conviction that a tremendous outcry was being made without adequate cause—it was a clear case of crying out long before you were hurt, and probably without the danger of being hurt at all. It was, no doubt, a nice thing to fight. Man was a fighting animal, and was never so much at ease as when shoving a bayonet into his enemy—except, of course, when he was boring a friend. But it would be as well for members to consider that while they were marching and counter-marching, wheeling into line, shaking their banners, and beating their drums, their country and its affairs were going fast to perdition.

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It was Mr. Reid's further assurance that no body of self-respecting men could swallow such a bolus as the Lower House, in the character of physician, was busily manufacturing for the Upper as patient. It was not only that the pill was too big to be taken in at one gape, but the coating was so offensive that nobody but a valetudinarian on his last legs could stand it. No public men could so stultify themselves as to bolt their principles with the certainty of being subsequently twitted with "Oh, you cowards! Lions where you should be lambs, you turn out lambs when people expected you to fight like lions." Every language is full of proverbs or tales or fables concerning the ease with which things are done by a little kindliness after having failed coldness and harshness with inexorable firmness. There was the traveller who took off his coat during the sunshine, but put it on and buttoned it up when the rain came. Then there was the iceberg which preserved its cold repelling exterior so long as it remained within the frigid surroundings of the Arctic Zone, but quickly melted under the genial air of the Tropics. In brief, the view adopted by the East Sydney representative, and enforced with characteristic persuasiveness, was that a mountain had been manufactured out of a mole-hill, and that should an elective Second Chamber arise on the ruins of the present one, the Lower House will quickly find that it is one thing to stick a nominee Chamber's head on a pole, and quite another to place that of an elective one there.

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All this time Mr. J. H. Abbott kept his seat with seeming attention to what was going on. But from the pile of books beside him it was clear that he meant mischief, and would be satisfied with nothing but blood. His turn came, and so far from regretting his powerful expressions of a few nights ago he gloried in them. As for those poor persons in "another place," the language they sometimes used towards the people's chosen ones was awful. Mr. Copeland took his stand on the Constitution Act. To him it was a matter of indifference what was done in other countries or under other circumstances. If we were not to obey the law made by ourselves, what chance was there that we would long obey those made by others. To his mind, as to the minds of greater men, the Council's right to amend money bills was indubitable. Mr. Melville was heard without difficulty. He spoke with a good deal of enthusiasm, but a rather strong seasoning of scorn. A good deal of Mr. M.'s address consisted of appeals to the sovereign people. When the latter "rise in their might" or give indications of a desire to "mew their mighty youth," it would appear as if it was about time to stand from under. Another expression, too, that did good work in its day is now seldom heard. It is "the great heart of the people," which was at any time highly prized as a figure of speech; but has now fallen into unmerited oblivion. Mr. Hutchison (Glen Innes) received a hearty welcome, which somehow left on one's mind the impression that it was not quite sincere. Still, his speeches should never be missed by those who think with Pope—that man is man's proper study. "Men," he said, with bitterness, "have called me a faddist." But his fads were harmless compared with those belonging to persons now before him. "Stick to 'em" came from the front benches of the Opposition, and shortly afterwards Mr. Hutchison concluded amid applause which might have been genuine, but which ever and anon became suggestive of a desire to break out into a wild phantasmagoria of levity seasoned with occasional prayers to sacrifice some one to the eternal gods.

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## THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

### TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I was always under the impression that the books in the Public Library were intended for the public to read, but I find it is not so. I called there this morning and asked to be allowed to read the *Cornhill Magazine*, but was peremptorily told that I could not do so. Now, I would ask you, Mr. Editor, are the public to be deprived of the use of books (that have been got together by the public funds) on account of the misbehaviour of a few? What are the attendants for—ornament, or to sit at a desk all day and chat with each other? They have the books under their supervision from the time of opening to the time of closing, and if they are not competent to discharge their duties they should be removed, and others put in their place; at all events, I am sure you will agree that the general public ought not to suffer for the misbehaviour of a few

I am, &c.,

R. H. MARTIN.

### TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It is a most disagreeable task to have to grumble about an institution which is doing so much for the instruction of the community as the Public Library; but, having the public welfare in view, I cannot, with your kind permission, allow Mr. Symmonds' letter to pass unnoticed. If the records of the institution are investigated, it will be found that few, if any, in Sydney have a larger experience of obtaining books therefrom than I have had during 10 or 12 years, in fact from almost the first commencement of the library. I may therefore be credited with some experience, and, as a truthful man, may be competent to give an impartial opinion. Owing, doubtless, to the rapidly-increasing number of readers, it is almost out of the question to obtain any of the leading literature of the day at a first, second, third, or even fourth application, and I have been more than six months endeavouring to obtain some works, and still without success. I will engage to give Mr. Symmonds a list of 20 books, not novels, which he will not get out in a month, calling every day at the library for them. Mr. Symmonds places himself on the pedestal of fame, and eternally fixes his standing amongst the literati, by assuming that he is able to obtain books because he is gifted in selecting choice literature, whereas the *oi polloi* indulge in novels and light literature; but the records of the institution will, I believe, prove that just the reverse is the case. Mr. Symmonds's wise instructions how to get a book by referring to the table remind me of the enterprising youth who was so alert in teaching his revered maternal ancestress the proper way to extract the contents of an egg, and they are of about the same value. I appeal to the counter clerks themselves, who as conscientious men cannot but acknowledge that at present considerable difficulty and disappointment, together with much loss of time, is experienced by many applicants for books, but it is not the fault of the clerks, but due to the large and increasing number of readers. No just complaints can be made against the officers of the institution, who, as far as my experience goes, have always shown a desire to be attentive and to please; but at the same time I must admit that improvements might easily be made in the system adopted, and suggestions have been made by me by which the usefulness of the institution might be increased to a very large extent.

These suggestions, made on several occasions to officers of the institution, have not, it seems, been very favourably received, and as usual in such cases it appears a very difficult matter to leave a well-worn groove.

I am, &c.,

FITZJOHN HALL.

### TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Allow me a little of your valuable space to say a few words with reference to the above. As an old borrower I can fully endorse the remarks made by your correspondent "Reader" in last Saturday's issue, for I have been disappointed time after time during the past year in my endeavour to secure books which, though in the catalogue, always appeared to be out of the library. One book in particular I have been trying to get for the past six months, and being curious to know what had become of it, questioned one of the assistant librarians, who informed me that it had only been returned from the binders a few weeks previous. Surely, Sir, something can be done to rectify this state of things, as the number of borrowers being rapidly on the increase, it will be next to impossible to secure a book of any description shortly. One way out of the difficulty would be to have, say, three or four copies of each book for which the demand is greatest, for then we would stand a better chance of getting a book. As it is a complaint which affects a large section of the general public, I hope you will give your valuable aid in effecting its remedy. Thanking you in anticipation,

I am, &c.,

ANOTHER READER.

### TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I was rather amused in reading "B.'s" letter *re* Free Public Library, in yesterday's *Herald*, as he states that I ignored the first part of his heading, whereas I had never read the letter referred to, or been aware that he had penned one. I hope he will be more careful in what he writes for the future. I left the editor to put what heading he liked. I think "B.'s" proposition of a deposit fee of half a-guinea would not answer; but I think a small fine, say 2s., for detention of books over a fortnight, would work well. The only way, in my opinion, for borrowers to be satisfied is for the authorities to get more books of those for which there is a great demand. The cost would not be much compared to the pleasure and profit derived. Since writing my last letter I have heard that there are more than 3600 borrowers.

I am, &c.,

July 30. READER.

## PAYMENT OF MEMBERS.

### TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—During the recent general election I did not hear one candidate say that he was in favour of payment of the great number of representatives to be then elected; and most of them that were in favour of payment were not in favour of such payment until the number of members was reduced to some reasonable proportion of population. One of the members—quite a new man amongst us—was thoroughly opposed to payment at all, and the other was in favour of reducing the number; and I heard at different places at least a dozen express themselves the same way who afterwards voted to help themselves out of the funds entrusted to them.

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BUNYIP.

Cocoa Drinkers are cautioned against those cocoas called pure, but which contain about 4 per cent. of added alkali, &c. As an absolutely pure, guaranteed, and delicious strength-sustaining beverage, Cadbury's Cocoa stands unrivalled.—[Advt.]

## OUR FIJI LETTER.

FIJI, July 16.

The C. S. R. Company's steamer Fiona arrived from your port on 12th instant, bringing our mails.

The most interesting paragraph in the Royal Gazettes during the past month has been the Meteorological Report, published by the Government Observer, which reads:—"Highest reading of the thermometer during June, 87°; lowest reading, 63°; rainfall, 8·71in. These figures are the result of observations at Suva: the rainfall has been much heavier in other parts of the group, and the variations of temperature much greater. From several quarters come reports of an unusual degree of cold, especially at night. A careful observer writes me from Nadi, south end of Viti Levu, that the thermometer has recorded 54°, a lower reading than has been noted before.

H. M. S. Opal dropped anchor at Suva on Sunday, 7th instant, arriving from Noumea. She remained in port until Tuesday last, when departure was taken for Apia, Samoa. The Suva *Times* reports that the flagship Orlando is expected to visit Fiji early in next month.

Although more than one of our big mills are not yet at work, and will probably not light fires for several weeks to come, our crushing season may yet be considered as fairly opened. From floods and other climatic troubles experienced early in the year, cane crops in the Rewa district will be somewhat light, and it is anticipated that all crushing will be completed before Christmas. The planters have some consolation for their troubles in the announcement that the company will give 2s. per ton advance on last year's prices for all cane delivered during present season.

On the other side of the island the company's Rarawai mill has been in full swing, with, I am informed, an output of from 22 to 28 tons of sugar per diem. The Sharpshooter, barque, finished discharging coals last week, and by this time should have her outward cargo on board—destination, Auckland, N. Z. I understand that a considerable quantity of sugar will remain in stock after the vessel has closed hatches. The density of juice from cane now being crushed on the estate is exceptionally high, and the manager is confident of being able to exceed his estimate of probable output for the season.

The Penang Estate has just now stored for export to Melbourne by incoming steamer a first shipment of 43 tons. Two or more coasting crafts are expected to arrive with further cargo before the date of departure of s.s. Taupo.

The Ellington manager has sent forward several good parcels of sugar since I last wrote, the whole of which has been absorbed to meet local requirements. This estate suffered severe loss last week in the destruction by fire of Megas shed and contents, believed to be caused by the incendiary act of discontented Fijian labourers. Last year the Mega sheds on the Penang and Deuba estates were burned down.

The copra business continues much on the same lines as when I last wrote, the present quotations being £6 per ton for first-class samples only. Buyers draw a very fine line between what they choose to term first, second, and inferior quality. The latter is unsaleable at prices to cover cost of manufacture and transport. Producers, as a matter of course, are much dissatisfied, and those able to do so are holding for a rise in values. Judging from latest market reports to hand there seems little present prospect of this desirable consummation.

But little business has been doing in bêche-de-mer of late, the tempestuous weather which ruled during April, May, and June having impeded and, in some districts, put a complete stop to fishing operations.

During the rough weather some five or six native-owned boats, ranging from 4 to 14 tons were wrecked or stranded in different parts of the group, and unfortunately the casualties have been attended by serious loss of life. Eleven Fijians, natives of Nadroga, under engagement to a European beche-de-mer trader, were drowned while returning from a fishing excursion to the ocean reefs, south end of Viti Levu, their craft, a flat-bottomed punt, foundering in the heavy seas which followed on a sudden gale from the S.E. Four coolies were also drowned by the upsetting of a cutter while beating up the Ra coast. These unfortunates were some of the gang concerned in the assaults on Mr. Duncan, overseer, at Varoka. They were being taken to Suva for trial at present sessions when the accident occurred. The cutter has since been recovered, having been picked up floating keel uppermost, a good four miles away from the spot where she turned turtle.

Exports of dessicated cocoanut have been increased considerably since the commencement of the year.

Grasshoppers have been a plague on the Rewa recently. From more than one correspondent I hear of considerable acres of maize crops being eaten clean down to the ground level, and that on some plantations even young cane has suffered from the ravages of these insects.

The Suva *Times*, under date of 6th July, gives a somewhat bitter article on the subject of loss to the colony arising from slow carriage of fruit from Fiji to your port. Messrs. Moore and Moore have possibly done the colony good service by bringing the matter prominently forward. It is claimed that fruit-shippers have, during the months of May and June, suffered avoidable loss of over £2000 arising from long passages made by steamers. It does not seem too much to ask either that faster and more powerful steamers should be put on the line, or else such other arrangements for conduct of the New Caledonian trade be made as would leave our fruit carriers free to run a bee line from Suva to Sydney Heads.

The members of the Roman Catholic Church of Levuka held high festival on Sunday, 30th ultimo, the occasion being the opening and consecration of the new Cathedral building, erected on the site of the old chapel, wrecked during the hurricane gales of March, 1886. The ceremony was conducted by the Right Revd. Bishop Vidal, assisted by a full staff of clergy.

The Church of England fraternity held their annual meeting at Suva last week. There was a gathering of some 50 ladies and gentlemen. The principal object of the meeting apparently was to discuss a proposal that the Church of Fiji should be affiliated to one of the New Zealand or other Australasian bishoprics. The result arrived at was the adoption of the following resolution:—"That, in the opinion of the members, the interests of the Church would be best served by the colony remaining as at present ecclesiastically, a dependency of the diocese of London," a conclusion which would seem to have been arrived at solely because, under other arrangements, contributions from missionary bounties in the old country would in all probability be no longer obtainable.

The Meg Merrilies, labour schooner sailing from this colony, is reported as leaving Santo for Fiji with 113 immigrants. Her arrival is now daily looked for. From her agents I learn that all arrivals are booked for engagement so soon as they are passed by Government inspecting officers, and that the vessel will be cleared for another recruiting voyage with all possible despatch.

July 19.

Since commencing my letter under date of 16th instant, the Tenterden, considerably behind time, has arrived. She will leave again for your port on Saturday, 20th. She has brought in full general cargo, and will, I believe, have a full outward freight of general produce, copra, beche-de-mer, nuts and fruit.

His Excellency the Governor, with family and suite, were passengers by the Tenterden. Lady Thurston, it is understood, will remain in Levuka for some weeks to come, our town being considered a sanitorium in comparison with the capital. The Governor goes forward to-morrow, leaving for Bua in the first place, and afterwards I understand he will make progress through the Macuata, Catrodroon, and Eastern provinces, returning in time to meet the flagship Orlando on arrival at Suva.

During the last two days coasters, the Black Prince, Mona, Kangaroo, and Porpoise have arrived with cargoes of sugar from Tavuini and Raki Raki Estates. A considerable portion thereof is now being loaded for your port, but the bulk will be stored for U. S. Company's Taupo to Melbourne, now long behind time, but expected to leave within a few days from date. The C. S. R. Company's steamship Fiona is, I now learn, to leave this for Auckland instead of your port, a portion of the outward cargo to be loaded from the Fiji Sugar Company's mills at Navua.

## CASUALTIES.

### DROWNING FATALITY AT COOK'S RIVER.

A sad drowning fatality occurred yesterday afternoon at Cook's River, near the bridge on the Illawarra line, in which a young man named Henry August Willersdorf, aged 22 years, lost his life while attempting to rescue his cousin. About noon the deceased had gone to the river in company with his cousin, a young man named John Keil, aged 17 years, to bathe some horses. While they were so engaged a horse which Keil was riding became entangled among some old piles, and reared up so that Keil lost his hold, and slipped into the river. His cousin went to his assistance, and in so doing was drowned. The body was recovered shortly afterwards. An inquest will be held.

### RAILWAY FATALITY AT CROYDON.

A fatal railway accident occurred at Croydon shortly before 6 o'clock last night. The down train from Parramatta, which runs right through after leaving Homebush at 5.42, killed a little girl named Lizzie Arlington, near the Croydon Station. The body was found lying about 4ft. away from the rails, and was conveyed to the Sydney Hospital, where life was pronounced extinct. It was then removed to the South Sydney Morgue. The deceased's skull was fractured and both her arms were broken, besides which other injuries had been inflicted. Shortly before the accident she was seen near the line by some other children. The train was driven by T. Harding, and F. Cavenagh was the guard. An inquest will be held.

### ACCIDENT AT THE RAILWAY STATION.

A fettler named Patrick Morrissey, 24 years of age, residing at Leamington Avenue, Fine Estate, Newtown, and a native of Ireland, met with a terrible accident whilst working at the Redfern railway station yesterday morning. It appears that he was, with other men, engaged repairing the rails of the permanent way near the Redfern tunnel, where engines and trains are constantly passing, when the unfortunate man was knocked down by an engine coming up behind him. In his fall his legs fell on the rails, and the wheels of the engine passed over them, nearly cutting them off. With all possible speed the sufferer was taken to the Sydney Hospital, where it was found necessary to amputate the injured limbs. This was successfully accomplished, and the patient is progressing favourably.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. Johnson, wife of Dr. Johnson, Parramatta, was driving round the Parramatta Park, in company with two lady visitors. When crossing the river causeway at the back of the Girls' Industrial School, the buggy capsized and threw the occupants into the water. Fortunately the water was not deep at this spot, and the ladies (two of whom are elderly) escaped with a drenching and a slight shaking.

A serious accident occurred at the railway crossing at Macdonaldtown yesterday afternoon, when a train dashed into a horse and dray, killing the horse and injuring the driver. The unfortunate man is named Samuel Matchett, aged 69 years, and resides in Coulson-street, Macdonaldtown. He is a carrier by occupation. He was admitted to the Prince Alfred Hospital, suffering from injury to the head and also general bruises, and was in a weak condition.

A carpenter named William Price, aged 21 years, residing at No. 219, Rose-street, Darlington, was working at some buildings in King-street, Newtown, yesterday, when he fell from the second story to the ground. He was admitted to the Prince Alfred Hospital suffering from injuries to the face and head and shock to the system.

Yesterday a carpenter named David Smith, aged 38 years, fell from a scaffolding at the Australia Hotel for a distance of 20ft. He was admitted to the Sydney Hospital, suffering from abrasions to the body, a scalp wound, and concussion of the brain.

## TRADES MOVEMENTS.

A meeting of the Plumbers' Society was held last night at Punch's Swan-with-Two-Necks Hotel, Mr. J. Donnelley being in the chair. Five new members were admitted. The reports of the delegates to the Federated Building Trades Council and the Eight-Hours Demonstration Committee were received, and it was decided to send a letter of condolence to the widow of a late member.

The Ironmoulders' Society met last evening at the Trades Hall, Dixon-street, Mr. J. Brigden being in the chair. The half-yearly balance-sheet of the Trades and Labour Council was received. A letter from the Council was read, requesting practical sympathy on behalf of the Illawarra miners now out on strike. It was decided to deal with the matter at a special meeting.

A meeting of the Pressers' Union took place last night at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, Mr. G. Stud being the chairman. A letter was read from the Trades and Labour Council, soliciting practical support on behalf of the Mount Kembla miners. It was agreed to consider the matter at the next meeting. Messrs. Roberts and Archer were elected trustees, vice Messrs. Robinson and Redmond resigned. Mr. Robinson, the vice-president, tendered his resignation of office, which was accepted.

The adjourned quarterly meeting of the Tailors' Society was held last night, at the Trades Hall, Dixon-street; Mr. Peter Strong presiding. The Trades and Labour Council wrote, asking for assistance towards the Mount Kembla miners. The secretary was instructed to reply, tendering the sympathy of the society to the miners; and also intimating that, in consequence of the difficulty at present existing in the section of the tailoring trade, the society was not in a position to grant at present any monetary help to the miners.

## NEW MUSIC.

Under the title of "A Song in Springtime" Messrs. Paling and Co. publish a song of which verse and music are both by Alice F. Cooper. Of the two the words are the better, for though they speak nothing original, yet what they say is well told. The music is fairly tuneful, and so far simple that not much is required from either singer or accompanist for its effective performance. The title page is neat in design, and it is well litho'd, and so also are the music pages, but the proofs have not been carefully revised. There are no less than five errors on the last page, two "naturals" being omitted, while three notes lack their proper "leger lines," thus making sevenths of what ought to be octaves. A natural is also omitted from before the fourth quaver of the last measure of page 3, and in the fourth bar of page 2 a D appears in the voice part instead of C. Ordinary performers are too ignorant of musical "grammar" to be able to detect and correct misprints and errors of notation. A four-page song, the price of which is marked four shillings, should at least be accurately printed.

## OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[By Telegraph.]

ALBURY, Tuesday.

For Melbourne (by express) to-day: Hon. C. J. Ham, M.L.C., Mrs. Ham, Miss Laura Ham, Miss Katie Ham, Hon. John Simson, M.L.C., Miss Bertha Simson (Toorak), W. Cain, C. S. Paterson, C. F. Tucker, H. W. L. Tucker, Alfred Walker, A. J. Agg, Miss Langtree, Miss E. Bellair, G. Bellair, Ernest Bellair, Charles M'Carron, L. Goldsmith, William F. Marks, F. Whithorn, J. Cumbrae Stewart, W. Hall, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. G. C. Millar, Misses Millar (2), J. Henderson Cobb, Mrs. M. J. Mullery, Miss Graham, Miss Cooper, J. S. Smith, R. H. Caldwell, J. F. Keriev, H. Stone, J. Stewart, L. Blandford, Mrs. Whitehouse, Miss Cameron, Miss E. O'Neill (Melbourne), Hon. J. Petre, O. Petre, Principal and Mrs. Rainy (travelling), Rev. D. Ross (New Zealand), Professor H. A. Simmons (Kansas, U. S. A.), Thomas N. Cormick (Brunswick), Miss Sheady, Miss Schmidt, G. H. Haslip, J. H. Mathews, jun. (Albury), Miss Watson (Cowra), Mrs. Anning, Master Anning (Queensland), Miss O'Neill, Mrs. Simpson (Cootamundra), F. Bond (Hobart), Rev. John Walker (Woollahra), Miss Minnie Dight, Miss Helen Dight (Darling Point), J. Prigle (Collingwood), R. Macdonald (Brisbane), H. A. Trangmar (Warrnambool), Mrs. W. F. Whitney, W. Whitney, G. F. Whitney (Carcoar), F. Kirkham (Yerong), Mr. and Miss Richards, Miss Lewis, Mr. Lewis (Bethanga), J. Stewart (Bombay), Dr. A. H. Fieldstad, Coriolano, Fontana Frederic T. Smith, Dr. Oscar Katz, Miss O. M. Brownlow, Herbert Douglas, F. J. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens, T. K. Johnston, Rev. J. Copeland, Alexander H. Hudson, T. H. Allatt, F. Perkins, Mrs. R. A. Jones H. Kidd (Sydney).

For Melbourne (by ordinary train on Tuesday): Mrs. J. Assender and infant (Ballarat), Rev. W. Scott, Whittier, Culcairn, Miss Denny (Melbourne), Miss Chadwin (New Zealand), Mother Bernard, Sister Bertha (St. Joseph).

For Sydney (by ordinary train on Tuesday): J. M. Peck (Melbourne), J. Cheese (North Melbourne), C. Crozier (East Melbourne), F. Ross (Collingwood), J. Alderson, T. Bowman (Wangaratta).

For Sydney (by express on Tuesday): Mrs. Dicker, J. Morley, Mrs. Spalding, Miss Bent, W. Stephen, M.L.A., Miss Marie Stephen, Miss S. H. Blashki, F. E. Wiseman, W. J. Ridgeway (Sydney), W. Kercher, E. Searle, James M'Culloch, J. S. Williams, H. Ivory, George Fairbairn, William Adams, Mrs. M'Mullen, Mrs. J. G. Duffett, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Prince, Mr. and Mrs. Manning, Miss Ford, A. D. Lowther, A. Imray, D. Hopkins, J. Dunne, M. C. Crossley, W. Barnes, A. P. Cunningham, R. Barends (Melbourne), Mr. Devicq (Netherlands), G. H. Boundy (Bowen), J. B. Hamilton (Caulfield), C. O. Bruhn (Brighton), George Gibbons (North Melbourne), T. Douglas Brown (Fiji), Miss Carter (South Yarra.)

TENTERFIELD, Tuesday.

For Sydney: E. H. Mackay (Keok Keok), J. H. Lovatt, J. Hart, Miss E. Hart, Miss B. Hart, S. H. Hoffnung, J. Rudd, A. Gillespie (Sydney), Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kitchen (Melbourne), J. C. Flanagan (Newtown), T. H. Alcock (Marrickville), Master Cohen (West Maitland), T. Garvin (Armidale), R. M'Grath, Sir James Garrick.

For Brisbane: A. S. Miller, E. D. Cates, R. W. Thallon (Brisbane), F. Gore (Glen Innes), C. R. Ewing (Wollongong), Mrs. R. T. Taylor (Toowong), Lady M'Gregor (New Guinea), Miss M'Call, Mrs. and Mr. W. Day, Miss Day (Sydney), A. Royle (Paddington), J. Cochrane (Penrith), H. P. Ralsh (England).

## AMUSEMENTS.

### THEATRE ROYAL.

The last performance of "The Yeomen of the Guard" will be given on Friday next, and we strongly advise all who care for a pretty and dramatic opera not to miss this work. It is by far the best production of all Messrs. Gilbert and Sullivan's pieces, and its representation at the Royal is thoroughly excellent. On Saturday, "Pepita," a comic opera in three acts, composed by Charles Lecocq, whose "Madame Angot" is world-famous, will be brought out for the first time in Sydney. The cast will include Misses Nellie Stewart and Fanny Liddiard, Messrs. Elton, Marnock, and Leumane, and Miss Helen Kinnaird, a new actress from England.

### HER MAJESTY'S.

"Confusion" went even better on Monday and Tuesday nights than on Saturday. Indeed, so hearty is the enjoyment of the audience over this merry play, that it often becomes difficult for the actors to get on with their scenes in consequence of the laughter provoked. It is very seldom that a farcical comedy is so well acted and so well received as in the present case. And all classes can join the fun, which is as innocent as it is telling. Mr. Rignold expects to have "Julius Cæsar" ready for Saturday, August 10, so that the run of Mr. Joseph Derrick's play can only be a short one. Mr. Alfred Clint's scenery for the Shakespearean revival will be very fine. Mr. Rignold is at present thinking of doing a pantomime at Christmas. Should be adhere to this decision, "Aladdin" will be the subject of treatment.

### CRITERION.

"Joseph's Sweetheart" continues to attract large audiences, and deservedly so if on no other account than that of the beauty of the scenery and dresses. But there is much human nature in the play, and Mr. Brough's pourtrayal of Parson Adams is a clever performance. It is an admirable blending of the pathetic with the humorous, and quite one of his best efforts.

### OPERA HOUSE.

There was a good attendance last night for the second representation of the "Bohemian Girl," and the opera went exceedingly well, and pleased the audience immensely. Saturday next is fixed for the first night of "Martha," which is to be sung with a strong cast.

### GAIETY.

That sterling Irish drama, "Arrah-na-Pogue," is to be presented here on Saturday.

### MELBOURNE THEATRE ROYAL.

The following is the cast of the principal characters in "The Silver King," which is to be revived at the above house next Saturday:—Wilfred Denver, Mr. A. Bucklaw; Herbert Skinner, Mr. Edward Sass; Daniel Jaikes, Mr. E. W. Royce; Henry Corkett, Mr. James Stevenson; Eliah Coombe, Mr. Frank Emery; Geoffrey Ware, Mr. Wilmot Eyre; Cripps, Mr. E. Russell; Baxter, Mr. W. Calvert; Nellie Denver, Miss Clara Cowper; and, Olive Skinner, Miss Edith Blande (her first appearance in Melbourne).

## FAREWELL MEETING TO MISS PHILIP.

A meeting in connection with the London Missionary Society was held in the Pitt-street Congregational Church last night to bid farewell to Miss Philip, the lady missionary from Pekin, who leaves Sydney to-day for the Southern colonies. The Rev. Dr. Jefferis presided over a large congregation, and in his opening remarks said that it had been felt during the past few years that a large section of people were untouched save through female influence, and it had been one of the most earnest aims of the great London Missionary Society to equip, train, and send out our Christian sisters whom the Lord had called to work in the great missionary field. Miss Philip spoke as one who had been for years engaged at the work, and told of her own experience among the heathen. We in Australia were not wont to look quite as cordially upon the claims of our Chinese brethren as perhaps we should; but, in view of our own future, even if we put it on that low level, it was absolutely needful for us to do what we could to Christianise that great people.

Miss Philip said that her first words must be words of welcome to her Chinese friends who were present, and her next must be of thanks to her friends in Sydney for their kindness, sympathy, and generous hospitality. She also wished to take the opportunity of thanking a nameless friend whom she did not know, but who had written her a loving and cheering letter. The writer was a member of the Bourke-street Congregational Young Christians' Union, who had forwarded some acceptable presents for the mission, and promised constant prayer and sympathy. She thanked the writer sincerely for her kindness towards the Chinese people. Last Sunday evening she had visited the Chinese at the Presbyterian mission-room. It was a deeply interesting service to her, and as she took their hand and spoke to them, she remembered how she had felt when a stranger in a foreign land. She had wondered if in this great city, where there was so much wealth, talent, and brain power, any one had ever longed to study the Chinese tongue. As an intellectual accomplishment alone it would be something to be proud of, and to get in touch with the Chinese and really influence them it was necessary to speak in their own tongue. She was very glad when she learnt that there was at least one—Mr. J. B. Stone—who at Cook's River, among hundreds of Chinese, had worked for many years, visiting them Sabbath by Sabbath, and telling them in their own language the story of the Gospel. These Chinese were at our very doors. There were plenty of ways in which those who so desired might help them, and one was in assisting the Presbyterian Chinese Mission to get sufficient accommodation for their services. Miss Philip then told several touching incidents in her mission experience, and concluded with an earnest appeal for more volunteers to join in the great missionary work.

The Rev. J. G. Frazer moved,—"That this meeting cannot allow Miss Philip to depart from New South Wales without expressing its very hearty appreciation of the services she has rendered to the London Missionary Society by her presence, and trusts that by the protecting care of our Heavenly Father she may arrive in safety at her sphere of labour, and be spared for active service for many years to come."

The Rev. W. C. Robinson seconded, and the Rev. G. Campbell supported the resolution, which was carried with acclamation.

## PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[By Telegraph.]

(From our Correspondents.)

BOURKE, Tuesday.

The following stock crossed the North Bourke bridge during the week ending July 27th:—21st, 10,200 wethers, Barrintill to Bathurst, Cobb and Co.; 23rd, 5182 ewes, Carrington Park to Nyngan, R. Hobnett, F. E. Bloxham and Co. agents; 25th, 4224 ewes, Lila Springs to Nyngan and Nevertire, Black and Co. owners; 73 stud rams, Tasmania to Nullawa, Sherwin and Co.; 26th, 253 rams, Hay to Multagoona, Bell Brothers; 22nd, 190 fat bullocks, Enniskillen to Sydney, W. A. Mears; 25th, 239 fat cattle, Nulty to Sydney, F. W. Armytage.

The following stock passed Barringun:—800 store cattle, Roothuila to Albury, R. J. Bligh; 400 store cattle, Beechal Creek for Sale, Feehan; 700, Tilberoo to Melbourne, Whittingham Brothers. Shearing commenced at Lila yesterday, and at Multagoona to-day. Belalie will commence next week.

TENTERFIELD, Tuesday.

One hundred bullocks were trucked for Homebush from E. D. Ogilvie, Yulgilbar, Clarence district, J. D. Whalan, owner.

WAGGA, Tuesday.

Three hundred and fifty rams and 1300 wethers, Connorton to a selection at Boree Creek, via The Rock, Bullenbong, and Green's Gunyah; 2400 ewes and wethers, Wagga to Taralga, via Junee, Cootamundra, and Young, John Bent in charge; 1800 wethers, Broughton, Tumut to Bourke, via Wagga and Forbes, owner in charge.

## SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.

### TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—With reference to the length of school holidays I should like to point out that absurdly long holidays are not given at all schools. At one I can mention four weeks are given in the summer, three weeks at midwinter, and a week at Easter and Michaelmas. Deducting from the year of 365 days 52 Sundays, 52 Saturdays, 40 days for nine weeks' vacation, one day each for Good Friday, Queen's birthday, the Prince of Wales' birthday, the eight-hour demonstration, and the school sports—and these holidays are given in every boys' school—we have 211 working days left, not too much for any healthy boy. The midsummer vacation might be increased at the expense of the other holidays; but in this country, where every boy has the whole of every Saturday, nine weeks' holidays are quite sufficient. Of course, there are schools which have seven or eight weeks' at midsummer, five at midwinter, and one at Easter, besides the occasional holidays; but, as this apparently meets with parental satisfaction, who is there to grumble?

I am, &c.,

F. BEVILL, M.A.

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## GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

The following official notifications were published in yesterday's *Government Gazette*:—

Public Schools.—It is proposed to establish Public schools, in lieu of existing Provisional schools, at Willow Grove, near Bukkulla; Springborough, near Bundanoon; and Euabalong. Evening Public school at Eastgrove, Goulburn; and a Public school at Seelands (Southampton), near South Grafton.

Municipal.—Quirindi, petition for a municipality; proposed borough of Stockton, counter petition; borough of St. Leonards, petition for increase in number of aldermen and re-adjustment of wards; Broken Hill municipality, petition for division of; Katoomba, petition for a municipality; Jerilderie, petition for a municipality.

Quarterly Abstracts.—Bank of Australasia, Bank of North Queensland, Mercantile Bank, London Chartered Bank of Australia, Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company.

Tenders.—Tenders for the supply of provisions on account of the Public Service to the Cottage Homes, Parramatta, from the 1st August, 1889, to the 31st March, 1890, have been accepted as follows:—J. W. Upton, section 1; J. E. Kelly, section 3. A tender for the supply of rations and provisions, &c., on account of the Public Service for the Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta, from the 1st August, 1889, to the 31st March, 1890, has been accepted as follows:—Ferris, Wilson, and Co.

Quarter Sessions.—Darlinghurst, Sydney, on Monday, August 5; Bathurst, on Monday, August 5; Albury, on Monday, August 5; Grafton, on Thursday, August 8; Wollongong, on Monday, August 12; Deniliquin, on Wednesday, August 14; Murrurundi, on Friday, August 16; Goulburn, on Tuesday, August 20; Gunnedah, on Tuesday, August 20; Young, on Wednesday, August 21; Narrabri, on Friday, August 23; Grenfell, on Monday, August 26; Walgett, on Friday, August 30.

Appointments.—Department of Public Works: Mr. F. Wells, assistant engineer in the roads and bridges branch of this department, has been appointed as engineer for roads; and Mr. J. A. M'Donald, M.I.M.E. and M.I.C.E., assistant engineer in the same branch, as engineer for bridges.

Retirements.—Mr. Andrew Johansen, employee Marine Board, has retired from the Civil Service; Mr. Peter Reilly, warder, Sydney gaol, has retired from the Civil Service; Mr. William Moxham, senior warder, Parramatta gaol, will, on the 1st November, 1889, retire from the Civil Service; Mr. W. C. Maguire, postal assistant, Orange, has been removed from the Public Service, under the provisions of the Civil Service Act, 1884.

Public Holidays.—The following days to be observed as public holidays in the localities mentioned, as notified in a supplement to yesterday's *Gazette*:—District of East Maitland, Thursday, the 15th proximo; district of Hillston, Saturday, the 10th proximo; districts of Young and Murrumburrah, Thursday, the 15th proximo; district of St. Leonards, Wednesday, the 11th September; district of Albury, Thursday, the 12th September; district of Kiama, Wednesday, the 21st proximo; district of Windsor, Wednesday, the 31st instant; town of Cootamundra, Wednesday, the 31st instant; district of Coonamble, Friday, the 2nd proximo; district of Forbes, Thursday, the 8th proximo; district of Hillston, Friday, the 9th proximo; borough of West Maitland, Thursday, the 15th proximo.

## SYDNEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

The annual report of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Sydney Grammar School, for 1888, was laid upon the table of the Legislative Assembly last evening. The report states that the full number of pupils had been maintained during the year, the average being 423. The trustees again express their satisfaction with the able manner in which the whole teaching staff have performed their duties; and the continuance of the zealous interest in the welfare of the boys, and of the school generally, that has been displayed by the head master. The Salting Exhibition at the University, which became vacant early in 1888, was awarded to Mr. Edward Milner Stephen. The Morehead Exhibition was for the first time awarded at the close of 1888 to Mr. John Beverley Peden. During the year the trustees had under their consideration the matter of adapting some portion of the school curriculum to meet the requirements of those boys who proposed to seek commercial employment on leaving school, as also the question of improving the status and efficiency of the modern division of the school. Four trustees and the head master prepared papers embodying their views on these questions, which had now been submitted to the board, and it was believed that this discussion would be productive of good result. Meanwhile the trustees had reason to believe that some of the defects in the Modern School, to which attention had been called in the reports of previous examiners, had been overcome. In view of the important part which chemistry was now playing in the manufacturing, agricultural, and mining industries, the trustees were strongly of the opinion that they should be in a position to afford instruction on this branch of knowledge. For this purpose a laboratory with the necessary appliance should be provided at the school. The trustees therefore requested that a sum of £1500 be placed on the Estimates to enable them to build a room (none being available in the present building), and to provide the necessary equipment, and that the annual vote should be supplemented by £250, so that they could make provision for the necessary lectures to the boys who appeared to be qualified for this line of study. The funds in the hands of the trustees were now only sufficient to defray the current expenses of the school, and no savings could be effected which could be devoted to improving or adding to the present buildings. These were now much more suitable than formerly for the work of the school, and had been maintained in fair order, but much could yet be done to them before they would be worthy of the school or of the site they occupied.

## THE WOMEN'S COLLEGE.

### TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD

Sir,—Allow me, on the part of those interested in the higher education of women, to express my great pleasure at the course taken by the Assembly in reference to the establishment of a Women's College in connection with the University. That this will be welcomed as an additional means and incentive to study I have reason to know. It has been objected that women have not "clamoured" for this. They have not; (1) because there is yet but a small section of the female division of the community in a position to appreciate the infinite blessings and advantages of liberal culture; (2) because those so situated prefer to act vigorously if silently in raising the intellectual status of their sisters, rather than by public writing and speaking to get themselves stigmatised as "strong-minded," or "odious supporters of women's rights." Mr. Crick has declared that "it is no use trying to place woman on an equality with man, as that end would never be accomplished." I have no intention of starting anew the much-vexed question of the equality or inequality of the sexes. As a woman I have for men in general a wholesome respect; but this I can say from wide experience as a teacher, that the average feminine mind is in no wise duller or less able to grasp facts or trace effects to their logical causes than the male, while occasionally I have had the pleasure of meeting among schoolgirls minds of extraordinary breadth and originality, which might easily put to shame male intellects of acknowledged power. At the University, again, I had every opportunity of studying the matter, and I can honestly say the intellectual inferiority of the one sex never made itself apparent. But granting that such is the case, in providing for the higher education of women have the Government at heart merely the abstract object of placing the two sexes on an equality, or do they seek to give to the female section of the community the same advantages enjoyed by the male, that the former may be able to fill with credit to themselves and benefit to others the positions to which nature and circumstances may call them? Suppose a father to have two sons, one of whom he judges to have less capacity than the other; given that both are equally anxious to acquire a good education, would that parent be justified in withholding the means from the one on the ground of his inferiority of intellect?—thus virtually saying, "You have more difficulties to encounter in your career, therefore you shall have no assistance; fight your own battle, gain the victory if you can, if not live and die an ignorant slave." No doubt Mr. Crick would condemn this conduct as unjust, yet it is exactly his own attitude towards the sexes. It may reassure the honourable member's mind as to the domestic capabilities of the educated housewives of the future to learn that all the lady graduates of my acquaintance, and they are not few, can concoct a pudding to satisfy the most fastidious taste, are never seen out at elbows or heels, so may reasonably be supposed to do a moderate amount of mending, while some at all events have proved their knowledge of nursery requirements by bringing up their children in the way they should go. In thus showing that domestic accomplishments and liberal culture may go hand in hand, I do not hope to banish the idea that subjection and ignorance are virtues peculiarly becoming to women. Time alone can effect a change in this particular. As George Eliot says, "It is a narrow prejudice of mathematicians to suppose that ways of thinking are to be driven from the field by being reduced to an absurdity. The absurd is taken as an excellent juicy thistle by many constitutions." It is not impossible that Mr. Crick may be enjoying this succulent edible. In conclusion, I should like, in the name of the women and girls of New South Wales, to thank most sincerely and earnestly Mr. Carruthers, Sir Henry Parkes, and other members for the efforts they are making to further the true interests of the female sex.

I am, &c.,

July 27. M. M.

It will be seen by readers of the *Echo* that new features are introduced. Notes, COMMENTS, PITH and POINT. Nothing is missing from the DAY'S NEWS. MINING, SHARE MARKET, COMMERCIAL, SHIPPING. SPORTING—TURF, AQUATICS, &c. LATE EDITIONS. *ECHO*, ONE PENNY.—[Advt.]

## THE HIGHER EDUCATION OF WOMEN.

### TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Before your sub-leader of Thursday appeared it was my intention to pen you a letter upon the above subject, but the statements of your sub-leader have furnished me with additional material against which to lodge my remarks. The adverse arguments submitted by Mr. Crick when opposing the bill for the endowment of a women's college have exactly coincided with those held by me for some time past, not in regard to a women's college, but to the higher education of women. In the first instance, to afford women in general the same privileges as men in education means, in nine cases out of 10, but waste of time money, and labour, since the intellectual powers of women are not generally equal to those of men. Truly, we occasionally, but very rarely, find women vieing with men in intellectual studies. Then, granted, but only in supposition, that women's intellectual powers are equal to men's, where is the utility of women pursuing studies which in after life cannot be maintained or imparted to others in consequence of the multifarious duties which domestic life involves? I contend that domestic engagements, rather than aiding to retain, would obliterate from the mind the knowledge acquired in a university course. Let us suppose that a young woman has completed her University course, and has graduated into the matrimonial ranks. Of necessity all her studies are laid aside, and her whole time and attention devoted to domestic duties. She has previously acquired a greater or less knowledge of classics, mathematics, and science, and but very little, if any, of household management. Having begun to engage in household duties, where is there time for further pursuit of her intellectual studies? And in what way can she apply the knowledge acquired at college or university? There is no need for a university training in mathematics to enable her to reckon up the butcher's or baker's bills nor will the flourish of the pen better fit her for the wielding of the poker or broom. And to what extent will a chemical knowledge aid her in compounding a pudding or pie? In like manner, the study of physical science will not render her efficient in regulating the temperature of the oven, or in estimating the power of heat, and length of time required in cooking. And, as to classics, unless Chinese be included amongst them, a knowledge of them seem to be more superfluous than all the other studies. Nor does it require an university education to impart elementary instruction to young children. So, if any of the advocates of the higher education of women can point out the utility of such an education to housewives I shall readily withdraw opposition. Such an education may be all very well for a young woman who is content or obliged to live a single life and earn her own living. It then places her on an independent footing and enables her, more or less to employ, in a practical and useful way the knowledge stored up in past years of study. But, even in such circumstances, some doubt must be entertained as to the necessity of such extensive and deep study as that pursued in a university course. A woman's sphere of training lies largely and almost exclusively amongst her own sex, since only very young boys are placed under the tuition of a woman. Then, again, so few girls, if gifted with the talent, are endowed with the disposition to pursue an advanced course of study that the demand for superior female teachers is but small. The instruction to girls in advanced subjects has been almost entirely imparted by men, and hence, were the number of advanced girl students to increase, there would be no lack of male teachers to carry on the work of tuition.

It is well-known that, as a rule, women's brains are smaller and lighter than men's, and consequently are less capable of enduring the constant strain of severe, prolonged, and deep study, and of solving and comprehending the abstruse problems, and threading their way through the intricacies of mathematics, science, and literature. This fact alone should commend itself as being indicative that woman's sphere is not the educational or scholastic world, but somewhere where superior knowledge is not in great demand, or, in other words, the home. In regard to Sir Henry Parkes's statement, that "If fear existed at all in the matter, it should be in the thought that ignorance would militate against women fulfilling properly the duties of wives and mothers." I have only to add that the lack of a university or some superior education does not necessarily leave an individual in ignorance. But I contend that the pursuit of such a course of education would leave a person in ignorance of domestic duties, and produce a strong aversion in that person to the performance of the same. The writer of your article urges that some "point of education not far from the first requirements of a university course" should be the stand of female education. That point I regard as being either the junior or senior examination, although there is a wide difference between the status of the two examinations, since the former is on a par with the present matriculation examination, and the latter equal to the first year examination in the arts course. I maintain that all girls of average intellect should be compelled either to pass or be equal to passing the junior examination, and those girls possessing greater talent should be educated up to the standard required in the senior examination. If such were done there would be little fear of ignorance prevailing in the future wives and mothers of our country. Such an examination, I believe, fully constitutes the "first requirements of a university course." As regards the establishment and endowment of a college for women, if women are determined upon pursuing higher education, I for one would be an advocate, provided that promise were made of a sufficient number of women presenting themselves, for residence and tuition. It must be remembered that a college is no ordinary or lightly constructed building. If built at all, it should be such as will endure for ages, and be a monumental record of women's endeavour to rival or surpass men in intellectual warfare. Such an edifice—magnificent, stately, and imposing, and well worthy to foster and promote the highest and noblest aims in human life—would require the expenditure of thousands upon thousands of pounds for its construction, together with many thousands for its maintenance. Now, is such vast expenditure warranted? I think it will be readily admitted that too few women covet a degree sufficiently to undergo the strain of constant and difficult study; and hence there is no warrant for such a magnificent scheme being effected. Even the men's colleges, which are three in number, are but meagrely attended, as will be seen by the following figures gleaned from the University calendar:—St. Paul's College contains 23 students, St. John's 17, and St. Andrew's 21; 61 in all. Some of these students, I may state, are not resident, but only attend occasional lectures on certain subjects, so the number is a little over 50 for the three colleges. If such is the poor attendance in three men's colleges, what will be the attendance in one women's college, when the numbers of the University students for the present year are in the proportion of 11 men to one woman?

I cannot agree with the statement of your article that "when we admitted women to lectures at the University we became responsible for the manner of their collegiate life." A university course does not necessarily imply, much less undertake the responsibility of affording, the enjoyment of college life and training. College life is independent of and entirely distinct from university life, and is intended to be only supplementary, as affording to students additional assistance by lectures, &c., in their university studies. Comparatively few of our colonial graduates know by experience what college life is, never having had any other training than that gained at school and the University, and yet have attained to the highest proficiency in their particular branches of study. That "women, more than men, need home surroundings," as your article has it, I admit; but how is it possible that disseverance from all relatives and friends, and living entirely amongst strangers, will afford a young woman the comforts and freedom of home life? Women are, as a rule, more susceptible to home influence than men, and consequently continued absence from home and friends, together with certain college restrictions, would tend rather to unfit and indispose them for literary pursuit than otherwise.

July 29. I am, &c., CUTTY SARK.

## INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS.

### TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

"Who can give qualifications to men when they have not brought the germs with them into the world."

Sir,—In answer to Mr. Goodchap, I have to say that I shall neither "withdraw nor limit any expression" in either of my presidential addresses. I have firmly determined on my line of action, and with the support of my council I am not likely to be deterred by Mr. Goodchap. The following statement made by Mr. Goodchap has taken the whole profession by surprise:—"I, as a member of the Institute of British Architects." If he means that he is a member of the Royal Institute of British Architects then his name does not appear in the Calendar of 1888-89, and neither of the residential secretaries know of such election. The secretary of our institute called on Mr. Goodchap yesterday, but he (Mr. Goodchap) withheld any information on the subject. I am therefore causing official inquiry to be made at headquarters. News has just reached us to the effect that the Supplementary Charter has received Royal assent and the Seal of the Privy Council. The doors of the parent institute will now be more carefully and jealously guarded than hitherto, so that he who is not likely to bring honour to the institute will find it very hard to gain admittance to that body, and I trust the day is not far distant when the doors of our own institute will be in like manner guarded, and before my term of office expires I hope to see the institute here incorporated and then affiliated with the Royal Institute of British Architects, when in this colony, at least, we will become guardians of her respected and time-honoured name. The Victorian Institute is working for the same object, so that between us we shall put a "stopper" upon undeserving men gaining the distinction of R.I.B.A.

I am, &c.,

J. HORBURY HUNT.

The monument to be erected at Quatre Bras to the Duke of Brunswick will occupy a space of 25 square metres. The sculptor has represented a wounded lion, supporting a shield with the Brunswick arms. There will also be a medallion portrait of the duke.

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## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—JULY 30.

Coraki (s.), 350 tons, Captain H. Wood, from Richmond River 28th instant. Passengers—Miss Wigmore, Miss Reid, Miss Bonner, Messrs. Boyer, Cathcart, Parker, Murphy, Hogan, Yabsley, Captain Loutitt, Captain Barnett, and 9 in the steerage. C. R. and M. R. S. N. Company, agents.

Wellington (s.), 118 tons, Captain R. Taplin, from Port Macquarie 29th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Taylor, Messrs. W. L. Munsell, E. A. Davis, W. Washington, R. Hallaran, and 7 in the steerage. John See and Co., agents.

Fiado (s.), 1200 tons, Captain G. Smith, from Adelaide 25th instant. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Chingtu (s.), 2320 tons, Captain A. Hunt, from Hongkong 27th ultimo, via Melbourne 28th instant. Passenger—Mr. J. A. Pattie. Lorimer, Rome, and Co., agents.

Kameruka (s.), 500 tons, Captain S. Bishop, from Bateman's Bay and Ulladulla July 29. Passengers—Mrs. Guy, Mrs. Ryan, Miss Duffy, Miss Boot, Miss Coxsan, Dr. Boot, Messrs. Guy, Norris, O'Carroll, Bains, Master Ryan, and 1 steerage. I. S. N. Co., agents.

Titus (s.), 517 tons, Captain Shewin, from Formby, Tasmania. J. Henry and Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—JULY 30.

Gleniffer, barque, for Portland, Oregon.
Swanmore, ship, for San Francisco.
Thistle, schooner, for New Britain, via Solomon Islands.
Ophir, barque, for Honolulu, via Newcastle.
Sea Nymph, barque, for Noumea, via Newcastle.
Warrego (s.), for Brisbane and ports.
Barcoo (s.), for Melbourne.
Burwah (s.), for Brisbane and ports.
Koonoowarra (s.), for Melbourne.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—JULY 31.

Eurimbla (s.), for Brisbane and ports; Sydney (s.), Gwydir (s.), for Newcastle; Cadwgan, barque, for Valparaiso.

CLEARANCES.—JULY 30.

Cadwgan, barque, 1264 tons, Captain R. E. Jones, for Valparaiso, in ballast.

Ophir, barque, 778 tons, Captain C. J. Pruguiere, for Honolulu, via Newcastle, in ballast.

Fiado (s.), 640 tons, Captain William Henry Laycock, for Melbourne, via Newcastle, with original cargo from Adelaide.

Warrego (s.), 1500 tons, Captain James Banks, for Brisbane and Northern ports. Passengers—Mrs. Penny, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. R. Christison and child, Mrs. Hope, Mrs. Joseph Orme, Miss Atkins, Miss Montefiore, Miss Knight, Miss L. Ivens, Miss Service, Miss M. Beattie, Rev. W. Locke, Rev. Father Coleman, Messrs. R. A. Bulcock, J. H. See, Frank Hills, Anderson, S. H. Shirres, S. Kennedy, P. R. Larkin, P. F. Hart, David J. Watt, H. W. Hardwick, Murphy, Holley, Penny, C. Cutbush, A. G. Cutbush, Hill, J. Wilson, A. T. Blyth, E. A. Rippingill, Andrew Neilson, R. N. Hope, J. C. White, A. Smith, J. D. Somers, M. Collins, C. Martin, P. De Cambourg, W. B. Young, and 34 in the steerage.

Barcoo (s.), 1505 tons, Captain T. A. Lake, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. S. H. Stark, Mrs. Ramsay, Mrs. Smith and child, Mrs. Lambert and infant, Mrs. Lingham, Miss M. Martin, Miss F. Hayman, Miss Cowlishaw, Dr. Wigg, Rev. A. M. M'Donald, Messrs. Ramsay, Bingham, E. N. Derham, R. O. Peck, E. Baker, O. Heineman, C. M. Berkley, C. Dentgen, Saywell, J. Benson, J. Le Fevre, A. H. Malone, F. Marks, A. Marks, W. Payne, Daniels, Gordon, R. M'Kellar, Wright, Mathiews, J. M. Hanchette, White, and 42 steerage.

Burwah (s.), 1082 tons, Captain W. Ellis, for Brisbane, &c. Passengers—Miss Bell, Messrs. Bell, J. Murray, A. Fraser, R. B. Grange, Casheon, Rev. J. Downing, and 12 passengers in the second cabin.

Konoowarra (s.), 1273 tons, Captain G. Smith, for Melbourne. Passengers:—Miss Shreder, Miss Cook, Miss O'Connell, Miss G. E. Walker, Miss J. Alsop, Miss Norrane, Mrs. Heywood and child, Mrs. Senhouse and 4 children, Messrs. A. Pye, G. W. Senhouse, C. Senhouse, and 30 in the steerage.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—JULY 30.

Australian (s.), Tomki (s.), Lawrence (s.), coasting; Flora Bell, for Cape Hawke; Moses Fletcher, for Moruya; Bunyip, for Manning River; Vale, for Tweed River.

IMPORTS.—JULY 30.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Chingtu (s.), from Hongkong via Melbourne: 900 sacks rice, 274 cases tea, 84 packages rattan furniture, 72 rattan ship fenders, 75 cases china oil, 15 cases soy, 10 bundles split rattans, 50 cases chairs, 12 cases cakes, 3 packages macaroni, 3 packages crackers, 1 case silk, 5 packages ginger, 16,658 bags sugar, 10 packages paper ware and sundries, and through cargo for Port Darwin and Hongkong.

Titus (s.), from Formby: 7517 bags potatoes.

Eurimbla (s.), from Brisbane: 5 bales kangarooskins, 4 bales hair, 22 casks tallow, 151 bales wool, 13 bales skins, 6 bales leather, 1 parcel (163oz.) gold, 240 hides, 1 case copper, 2 packages preserves, 10 cases pines, 17 cases tomatoes, and sundries and through cargo for Melbourne.

Fiado (s.), from Adelaide: 5500 bags chaff, 1000 bags wheat, 650 bags flour.

Ex Fingal, Cutty Sark, and J. M. Clerk: 400 cases Henman's 1lb. and ½lb. boxes starch, 1000 boxes D. R. L. candles, 500 boxes paraffins (plain and fluted), 100 cases albert half sardines, 50 cases Morton's sheep's tongues, 100 cases English and Swiss milk, 250 boxes Underwood's devilled ham.—D. MITCHELL AND CO.

Ex Britannia (s.), from London: 7 cases paper—JOHN FAIRFAX AND SONS.

EXPORTS.—JULY 30.

Barcoo (s.), for Melbourne: 2504 cases fruit, 50 boxes sultanas, 53 bales wool, 91 packages broom-handles, 130 cases salmon, 25 cases hardware, 7 cases telephone materials, 7 cases skates, 6 cases drugs, 302 bars iron, 1 horse, 50 cases chlorate, 10 bags oysters, 1 case cigars, sundries, and original cargo.

Warrego (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports: 1819 cases fruit, 187 bags potatoes, 38 bags swedes, 10 cases cheese, 200 packages tea, 20 cases bacon, 20 bags rice, 20 head cattle, 2 horses, 1 buggy, 28 wheels, 300 bags flour, 10 lengths pipe, 105 packages butter, 121 bags maize, 474 packages canned goods, 116 cases salmon, 20 packages codfish, 2 bales basils, 19 trunks boots, 14 bales woolpacks, 7 cases iron, 70 bags onions, 160 bags bran, 250 bags bark, 108 packages tobacco, 8 hogsheads leaf tobacco, 1 case cigars, 24 packages drapery, 100 cases and packages castor oil, 350 packages golden syrup, 100 packages rum, 100 cases jam, 60 drums oil, and sundries, also original cargo from Melbourne.

Konoowarra (s.), for Melbourne: 60 packages oysters, 11 cases pines, 7 cases wine, 52 bars steel, 5 cases tobacco, 215 rolls netting, 70 tons shale, 112 tons scrap iron, 2 cases drapery, 6 cases plants, 1344 rails, 261 fish plates, 138 pieces cedar, 21 cedar logs, 599 cases fruit, sundries, and original cargo from Brisbane.

Burwah (s.), for Brisbane: 44 packages tea, 100 cases whisky, 19 packages oil, 62 cases cheese, 31 packages butter, 500 bags flour, 10 bags onions, 12 packages pork, 225 bags potatoes, 5 packages skins, 77 cases fruit, 100 packages brooms, 128 rings, 20 tons shale, 128 bags bark, 12 packages ironmongery, 20 packages wire nails, 15 packages stationery, 13 packages bacon, 1 case galvanised iron, 5 packages netting, 1 case cartridges, 3 cases sewing machines, 4 packages drapery, and sundries.

## TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

BRISBANE.—Arrivals: July 30, Merrie England (s.), from New Guinea. Departures, Gambier (s.) and Quiraing (s.), for Sydney; Elamang (s.), for Burketown, and Derwent (s.), Fitzroy (s.), for Maryborough and Rockhampton. Glanworth (s.), arrived at Rockhampton to-day from Sydney. Rodondo (s.) left Rockhampton to-day for Sydney. Marsnoa (s.), for Sydney, left Bowen this morning. Cintra (s.), for Cooktown, arrived at Townsville this afternoon. Bulimba (s.), Burketown for Sydney, arrived at Cairns this morning.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: July 30, Beeswing (s.), Glaucus (s.), from Melbourne; New Guinea (s.), from Brisbane; Jane, schooner, from Port Stephens; Sydney (s.), Gwydir (s.), Nemesis (s.), Age (s.), Tamar (s.), Lindus (s.), Barrabool (s.), Oonah (s.), Phœbe (s.), Western (s.), Wairarapa (s.), Alert, Fairlie, schooner, Marie, brig Wm. H. Connor, barque, Clara Jackson, schooner, Sea Nymph, barque, Surprise, schooner, from Sydney. Departures: July 30, Tagliaffero (s.), Easby (s.), for Melbourne; Ability, schooner, for Cape Hawke; Wendouree (s.), for Adelaide; Tamar (s.), for Sydney; Gwydir (s.), Garron, schooner, for Sydney.

YAAMBA.—Departure: July 30, Coquette, schooner, for Melbourne. Arrival: July 30, Electra (s.), from Richmond River.

GABO.—Passed: July 30, J. C. Taylor, ketch, at 11.15 a.m., north; Genista (s.), at 5.5 p.m., west.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: July 30, Balmain (s.), from Adelaide; Taramung (s.), from Newcastle; Pateena (s.), from Launceston. Departures: July 30, Gabo (s.), Adelaide (s.), Balmain (s.), for Sydney; Victorian (s.), for Adelaide; Lubra (s.), for Macdonnell Bay; Moreton (s.), for Circular Head; Wandering Jew, ship, Maribout, ship, for Newcastle; Vivid, barque, for Sydney; Killarney, barque, for New Zealand.

ADELAIDE.—Arrival: July 30, Yarra (s.), from Sydney. Sailed: Yarra (s.), for Marseilles.

(FROM BOARD AT TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

TWEED HEADS.—Arrival: July 30, Tweed, tug, at 5.10 p.m., from the Brunswick.

RICHMOND HEADS.—July 30, 12ft. on the bar at high water. Passed: July 30, Janet Nicoll (s.), at 5 p.m., south.

CLARENCE HEADS.—Arrival: July 30, Electra (s.), at 6.20 a.m. Departure: July 30, Coquette, at 10.40 a.m.

MACLEAY HEADS.—Departure, July 30, Woodburn (s.), at 9.50 a.m.; 7ft. 6in. on the bar at high water.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Passed: July 30, a three-masted steamer, two yellow funnels with black bands, at 11 a.m., north; a steamer like Quiraing at 5.8 p.m., south. Departure: July 30, Avon (s.), at 5.30 p.m. for Bellinger River.

CROWDY HEADS.—Passed: July 30, Amphitrite at 10.30 a.m., north.

BRUNSWICK HEADS.—Departures: July 30, Tweed, tug, with schooner White Cloud this morning.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: July 30, Queen of the South (s.), at 1.30 p.m., north.

PORT STEPHENS.—Passed: July 30, Queen of the South, at 1.30 p.m.; a small steamer at 5 p.m., north.

NELSON'S BAY.—Departures: July 30, Estelle at 10 a.m.; Kingsley (s.), at 1 p.m.

WOLLONGONG.—Arrival: July 29, Glide, from Sydney. July 30, Allowrie (s.), Mana, from Sydney. Departure: July 30, Allowrie (s.), for Kiama.

KIAMA.—Arrivals: July 30, Venture at 7 a.m.; Lass o' Gowrie (s.), at 4.30 p.m., from Sydney.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS.—Arrival: July 30, Meeinderry (s.), at 7.30 a.m., from Sydney. Departure: July 30, Prince Alfred, for Clyde River.

JERVIS BAY.—Passed: July 30, a barque, at 3.20 p.m., flying signals PARN, north.

CAPE HAWKE.—Arrival: July 29, Emma Pyers (s.), at 10.30 p.m., from Sydney. Departures: July 29, Annie, Dewdrop, Favourite, and Petrel, at 10 p.m.

NAMBUCCA HEADS.—Departure: July 30, Fermount (s.), at 10.45 a.m., for Coffs Harbour.

GREEN CAPE.—Passed: July 30, Genista (s.), at 2.30 p.m., south; a ketch, painted white, at 3 p.m., north.

EDEN.—Departure: July 30, Bega (s.), at 8 a.m., for Sydney.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: July 30, J. C. Taylor, at 11.15 a.m. north; Genista (s.), at 5 p.m., south.

CAPE BORDA.—Passed: July 30, Nurnberg (s.), at 3.30 p.m., all well.

HOBART.—Arrival: July 30, Corinna (s.), at 9.20 a.m., from Sydney; Manapouri (s.), at 3 a.m., from New Zealand. Departures: July 30, Camille, schooner, during the night, and Manapouri (s.), at 12.17 p.m., for Melbourne.

SEMAPHORE.—Arrival: July 30, Yarra (s.), at 2.5 a.m., from Melbourne. Departure: July 30, Yarra (s.), at 5.30 p.m., for Marseilles.

(PER MERCHANT SHIPPING AND UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION.)

LONDON, JULY 29.

Arrived from Melbourne, Loch Sloy, ship, sailed March 30.

A NEW SHIP IN DISTRESS.

It was pointed out lately that a brand-new steel ship had arrived from England at Melbourne with a cargo of railway iron, the ship herself having sprung a leak on the passage. Information is now to hand that the ship Enterkin, fresh from the builder's hands, and about whose whereabouts some apprehension was felt, has arrived at the Mauritius in distress. The Merchant Shipping and Underwriters Association's cable message says:—"Enterkin, ship, 1600 tons, of Glasgow, which left Barrow for Melbourne on March 16, has put into Mauritius in distress, her cargo, railway material, having shifted in the Southern Ocean."

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## THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

MELBOURNE, 4.15 and 7 p.m.
ADELAIDE, 4 p.m.
HOBART AND LAUNCESTON, 4 p.m.
QUEENSLAND, 5.30 p.m.
MERIMBULA AND EDEN, 11 a.m.
BRISBANE AND NORTHERN PORTS, 4 p.m.

THURSDAY.

LAUNCESTON AND HOBART, 9 a.m.
TOWNSVILLE, COOKTOWN, THURSDAY ISLAND, PORT DARWIN, AND HONGKONG, 10 a.m.
HOBART AND LAUNCESTON, VIA EDEN, 11 a.m.
CONTINENT OF EUROPE, overland to Melbourne, and thence per Orient Company's steamer Iberia, 2.30 p.m.
UNITED KINGDOM, overland to Melbourne, and thence per Orient Company's steamer Iberia, 3 p.m.
AUCKLAND AND ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS, 3 p.m.
NOUMEA, NEW HEBRIDES, AND FIJI, 4 p.m.
LYTTELTON AND SOUTHERN PORTS OF NEW ZEALAND, VIA NEWCASTLE, 6 p.m.

FRIDAY.

ULLADULLA AND CLYDE, 11 a.m.
BRISBANE AND NORTHERN PORTS, 4 p.m.

SATURDAY.

MERIMBULA AND EDEN, 11 a.m.
TOWNSVILLE, COOKTOWN, THURSDAY ISLAND, PORT DARWIN, AND HONGKONG, 11 a.m.
WELLINGTON AND SOUTHERN PORTS OF NEW ZEALAND, Noon.
CLARENCE RIVER, 8 p.m.

PARCEL MAIL.

Parcels addressed to the United Kingdom, and certain foreign countries via the United Kingdom, will be received at the Parcels Office, George-street, for transmission per P. and O. steamer Britannia up to noon on FRIDAY, the 2nd August. Parcels must not be posted in a letter box, but must be taken to the Parcels Office, where the necessary declaration as to their contents and value must be signed. Parcels addressed to Germany will also be received at the Parcels Office, for transmission per German steamer Nurnberg, up to noon on Tuesday, the 13th August.

## ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, &c.; at 3, Poultry.
W. INGLIS AND SON.—At Bazaar, at 10.30 and 12, Horses, &c.; at Camperdown Yards, at 2.30, Horses.
BROWN BROS. AND CO.—At Bazaar, at 11, Cows, &c.; at 11.30, Horses, &c.; at Corporation Yards, at 11, Calves, Pigs, &c.
H. M'NAMARA.—At Meat Market, at 12, Beef, &c.
H. KELLETT.—At Victoria and Norton streets, Ashfield, at 11, Furniture, &c.
M'ARDELL, GIBSON, AND CO.—At 281, George-street, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.
GARRARD AND HAMILTON.—At Stewart-street, Balmain, at 10.30, Furniture, &c.
HARRIS AND ACKMAN.—At their Mart, at 11, Glassware, Chinaware, Fancy Goods, Perfumery, &c.
FRASER AND CO.—At the City Mart, at 11, Teas, Groceries, Oilmen's Stores, Coal, &c.
J. RODD AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Drapery, Clothing, Fancy Goods, Boots, Shoes, &c.
M. MENSER.—At Crown-lane, Crown-road, Ultimo, at 10.30, Furniture, &c.; at 70 and 72, Castlereagh-street, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.
THE SHERIFF.—At 19, Hunter-street, at 11, Stock in Trade of a Chemist; at Yards, Wollongong, Vehicles, Furniture, &c.
J. BRIDGE AND CO.—At Circular Quay, at 10, Skins; at Corporation Yards, at 11, Pigs, &c.
G. WELLS.—At Corporation Yards, at 11, Lambs.
THE N. Z. LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY CO.—At their Warehouse, at 10, Skins.
A. MOORE AND CO.—At the Labour Bazaar, at 11, Furniture, &c.
J. P. LISTER.—At his Rooms, at 10, Furniture, &c.
BRUNKER AND WOLFE.—At the City Yards, at 11 Vealers, &c.
H. HAINS.—At St. Kilda Cottage, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo, at 11, Furniture, &c.
W. CRANE. At 19, Hunter-street, at 11, Stock-in-Trade of a Chemist and Druggist, &c.; at 237, Oxford-street, Darlinghurst, at 3, Stock-in-Trade of a Picture Frame Maker, &c.
C. MOORE AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Electroplated Ware, Cutlery, Fancy Goods, &c.
J. STRONGMAN.—At Summer Hill, at 11, Furniture.
M. V. SOLOMON AND CO.—At Newtown, at 3, Clothing, &c.

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IT is probable that Australian aboriginal names will be conferred upon the vessels designed for the Australian auxiliary squadron.

A CANADIAN vessel is reported to have been seized for having trespassed upon seal fishing grounds in Behring Straits, which are said to belong to the United States.

THE condemned man Morrison is to be hanged on August 20, for the murder of Constable Sutherland.

A MAN named Elgin has been killed by a fall of coal in the Newcastle Coal Company's Colliery.

THE New South Wales Employers' Union has appointed a committee to act in connection with the Chamber of Commerce in making inquiry into certain abuses which exist in connection with the shipping trade of this port, with a view to making such suggestions as may be deemed advisable to alter the present state of affairs.

THE report of the Water and Sewerage Board shows that the revenue for the week ended July 27 amounted to £2782 0s. 7d, making the total revenue during the current year £70,221 11s. 10d. During the week 2953 yards of pipes had been laid in the various suburbs, and 487 yards of piping had been cleaned.

MR. TREVOR JONES, in his report on the washaway which took place at No. 4 dam in the Centennial Park, says:—"If a crust of natural ferruginous concrete had not formed the base of the dam, its whole contents would have caused a breach in the dam below, and the water of the two together would have been sufficient to carry away dam No. 6. The combined waters then must have been carried away to Randwick dam and the other eight dams between it and Botany, causing disaster and, in all probability, loss of life."

THE attendance at the Australian Museum, College-street, on Sunday afternoon numbered 1100.

THE Union Bank of Australia has declared a dividend at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum.

THE Minister for Works has announced that the Government cannot see its way to submit the proposal for a railway line from Bega to Eden to the Public Works Committee.

AT the Central Police Court yesterday, two men were each fined £5 for breaches of the Betting Houses Suppression Act.

THE Metropolitan of Bulgaria has refused to answer to a summons charging him with having used seditious language when preaching.

MR. F. WELLS, assistant engineer in the roads and rivers branch of the Public Works Department, has been appointed engineer for roads, and Mr. J. A. M'Donald, assistant engineer in the same branch, engineer for bridges.

IN the stock and share market yesterday business was quiet. Balmain Ferry shares were lower; other shares were quoted at about late rates.

THE report of the Railway Commissioners shows that the revenue from all sources for the quarter ended 30th June, 1888, amounted to £535,365; and for the quarter ended 30th June, 1889, £545,659. The expenditure for the quarter ended 30th June, 1888, was £398,657; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, £389,716. Number of passengers, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 388,410; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 4,100,460. The report further records:—Train miles run, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 1,671,993; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 1,834,579. Earnings per train mile, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 6s. 4½d.; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 5s. 11½d. Expenditure per train mile, 4s. 0½d.; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 4s. 3d. Percentage—expenditure to earnings, quarter ending 30th June, 1888, 74·76; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 71·42.

PARTICULARS given in the report of the tramway traffic show that the earnings per tram per mile for the quarter ended 30th June, 1888, were 3s. 8¾d.; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 3s. 3¼d. Expenditure per tram per mile, quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 3s. 0¾d.; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 2s. 10¾d. Percentage of expenditure to earnings for the quarter ended 30th June, 1888, 93·56; quarter ended 30th June, 1889, 88·98.

THE amendment of Mr. John Morley to the proposal increase to the allowance to the Prince of Wales, objecting to the grant unless an agreement be come to that no further applications of the kind be made to Parliament, has been rejected by the House of Commons by 355 votes to 134.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN has accused those who are opposed to the grant to the Prince of Wales of being nihilists in English politics.

THE Soudan rebels are reported to be continuing their march in the direction of Assouan.

THE House of Commons has passed the Trust Funds Investment Bill.

IN the elections to the Councils-General in France, General Boulanger has been defeated in 68 out of the 80 constituencies for the representation of which he was a candidate.

THE new shares placed upon the London market by the English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank have been subscribed. A branch of the bank is to be opened in Brisbane.

THE Shah of Persia has left England and is visiting Paris.

THE Marquis of Salisbury is of opinion that the attitude of Russia in the Balkans is very correct, and that her policy is pacific.

IT is stated that France and Russia have concluded a defensive alliance similar to that existing between Austria and Germany.

ELEVEN men of the wrecked vessel Mallegate have been discovered. Five of the men were too weak to travel. During the last five days they have existed upon a bottle of preserved fruit divided among them.

THE Government is endeavouring to find a place that will be suitable for the purposes of a mining museum.

THE Government of New Zealand has been petitioned to appoint an inspector of reservoirs for the colony.

SIR HENRY PARKES has intimated to the New Zealand Exhibition authorities that a space of 20,000ft. will be required for the display of exhibits from this colony.

ONE of two brothers, while playing on the bridge at Hamilton (N. Z.), fell over, a depth of 90ft., and was killed.

THE political deadlock in New Zealand continues without change.

LORD CRANLEY, the son of the Governor of New Zealand, is ill of fever.

IT was stated by the Postmaster-General last night that a letter-carrier who was tried on the 30th May last on a charge of opening 50 letters entrusted to him for delivery, and was acquitted on the ground of insanity, was subsequently reappointed in the postal department as a stamper and sorter.

IN reference to the order sent to England for railway-engine boilers, Mr. M'Millan states that local manufacturers were not invited to tender because the boilers were urgently required, and it was desirable that they should be made by the firms who made the engines.

UPON the question of differential railway charges it is said that the Commissioners are quite alive to the anomalies of the system, but so long as it obtained in the colony they could not refuse to give the Northern system the benefit of the tariff, and at the present time it was not practicable to make a comprehensive change to abolish the system altogether. Alterations in the scale of rates will be gradually made, so as to reduce the anomalies to a minimum without undue loss of revenue.

THE Customs revenue yesterday amounted to £6409 19s. 3d.

YESTERDAY a young man while attempting to rescue a companion from drowning in Cook's River was himself drowned; and last evening a child was killed by a passing train near Croydon.

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As was anticipated, the Assembly has resolved to send back the Payment of Members Bill to the Council, with this modification, however, that it is to have no retrospective effect. In doing so, the Lower House asserts its right to the exclusive control of the public funds, and denies the right of the Upper House to interfere even in a matter of detail. The Assembly was nearly unanimous in taking this course, but it is open to remark that the PREMIER, so far as the Ministerial side of the House was concerned, was left to fight the battle almost alone. Not one of his colleagues took part in the main debate, and the only prominent speaker from the Government benches deprecated the manner in which the campaign has been entered upon. On the other side, Mr. ABBOTT maintained the uncompromising position which he had previously taken up; but the leader of the Opposition, while agreeing with the head of the Government as to the constitutional principle involved, expressed his disapprobation of the manner in which the contest is being conducted. Taking the House as a whole, its conduct can only be described as peculiar. At the opening of the proceedings there was a large attendance, but as the debate went on members withdrew one by one, until at times there was barely a quorum. Few members seemed anxious either to speak, or to hear what others had to say. The House, in fact, conducted itself almost as though it was ashamed of the subject under discussion. Is it possible that at this late hour conscience is beginning to make itself felt?

The case submitted by the PREMIER was that the Parliamentary institutions of the mother-country have descended to us, and that, in accordance with the principles which guide the Lords and Commons, the Council has no right to interfere with the Assembly in the appropriation of the public funds. This was the position he took up last week, and he sticks to it; but in one respect he does not stand his ground—he makes indeed a forced, almost an ignominious, retreat. He stated last Thursday night that he felt it "incumbent upon him" to give notice of his intention to introduce a bill with the object of reconstructing the Upper House on the basis of popular election. He now admits that it was hasty and inconsiderate on his part to announce any such intention, and he apologises for having "given utterance to words which might be interpreted as having the appearance of a threat when no threat was intended." The PREMIER is singularly happy in his choice of words. "Might be interpreted as having the appearance of a threat." This is certainly an ingenious way of describing an announcement which was as plain and distinct a threat as it was possible for language to convey. However, the PREMIER now withdraws the "ejaculation," as he calls it, and would like everyone to forget that it had been uttered. It would be well if this could be done; but unfortunately the words were spoken, the threat was made, and although we have a formal withdrawal, the threat remains. It is all very well for the PREMIER to take back his words. He may do that, but he cannot remove the impression which they created. This is shown by the fact that last night's debate turned a good deal upon the question as to whether the Upper House should be elective or not. The PREMIER himself dealt with it in the latter part of his speech, contrasting the elective Assembly with the nominee Council, the members of which were appointed, as he sneeringly said, in much the same way as police magistrates. It seemed almost, as he went on, as though he regretted having withdrawn anything. The latter part of his speech was certainly in strong contrast to the opening portion; it was no longer argument, it was ridicule and denunciation. This is one way of endeavouring to overcome a constitutional difficulty, but it does not appear to be a very hopeful one.

The argument contained in the earlier portions of the PREMIER's speech is intelligible enough. It amounts to this, that the Assembly of this colony has inherited the rights and privileges of the House of Commons, and that it possesses the sole power of dealing with the people's money. Assuming, therefore, that the Payment of Members Bill is a money bill, which everyone does not admit, the contention is that the Council has no right to amend it. Our Constitution Act, it is conceded, contains a clause which apparently empowers the Council to amend money bills; but the PREMIER says, in effect, "Our Constitution is only binding so far as it harmonises with English practice and precedent; when it conflicts with English practice and precedent it ceases to operate." A mistake is made, he says, if you interpret it according to legal principles. But, as Mr. COPELAND very aptly remarks, how can an Act of Parliament be interpreted in any other way? The British Parliament is guided by an unwritten constitution—a constitution which has been built up, to a large extent, by practice and precedent; but we have a Constitution in black and white. If one clause can be discarded, what is to prevent Parliament throwing the whole Act overboard? The PREMIER said a good deal about the impossibility of two Houses, possessing exactly the same powers, working together. The argument was beside the mark. No one contends that the Council and the Assembly possess identical powers. The Upper House has never made claim to the powers which are peculiar to the Assembly; all that it has done is to assert the powers which are given to it under the Constitution. But the object of the Assembly seems to be to deprive the Council of all power whatever—to make it a mere Chamber of registration. If the Council is to swallow every measure which can be called a money bill, the Assembly, by introducing into each bill some provision for the payment of a nominal fee or penalty, might secure to itself the exclusive right of legislating upon all questions.

The PREMIER's assumption that the Council in this matter is the aggressor, and not the Assembly, was well answered by the leader of the Opposition. Mr. DIBBS agrees with Sir HENRY PARKES in his views on the constitutional question, but he sees no reason to press the matter violently against the Council. The two Houses have worked together very well for 30 years, and when, he asks, has the Council attempted to wrest from the people their rights? He recommends a policy of moderation and conciliation as the one most likely to succeed. Mr. REID took the same view, but put it before the House with much greater force. There can be no question, he says, that, upon a legal view of the matter, the Council possesses the right to which it lays claim, although constitutionally the right, in his opinion, cannot be maintained. Nevertheless, it has been claimed before now; but by the exercise of wise statesmanship, the difficulties which arose were arranged. Would it not be a lamentable thing, he asks, that the affairs of the country should be thrown into confusion on a question which concerns no one outside the Assembly? Such a result would, indeed, be lamentable, but it is likely enough to be brought about if the Assembly presses its point harshly and inconsiderately. If it wishes to succeed in its object without doing injury to the country, it must adopt a policy of moderation and conciliation in its dealings with the Council.

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The railways submitted by the Government last night are not a complete list of their proposals, and it is not, therefore, surprising that they have not given satisfaction to all who are expecting consideration from the Government. There are five new lines or branches. Two of them are in the metropolis and three in the country districts. Of the former, the extension of the North Shore Railway to the deep waters of Port Jackson is a project that can hardly be opposed, for it is necessary to bring into profitable employment the line from the Great Northern Railway to Gore's Hill, at present totally unused. This extension ought now to have been complete. Delay is simply adding to the cost in interest on the outlay already incurred. The second metropolitan railway is that described as from Marrickville to Burwood-road. If the line on other grounds can be justified before the Works Committee, it will no doubt be remunerative. Any suburban railway in the midst of a dense population would doubtless pay, and every line that will pay, which does not withdraw traffic from other lines, should be constructed without delay. As to the country lines, that from Nyngan to Cobar has already had the sanction of Parliament. Its approval by the Works Committee will, no doubt, largely depend on whether it is to be part of a through line to the Darling, and whether that is the best route to take such a through line, which eventually at that part of the country must tap the great Western river at Wilcannia. Whether the branch line from Goulburn to Crookwell, or the extension of the Southern coast line from Kiama to Nowra, the other two country lines proposed, can be made with reasonable prospect of immediate or early payable results, will be the ground doubtless on which they will be ratified by the Works Committee.

On the eve of the submission of new railway proposals by the Government it is not surprising to find the inhabitants of various centres in a state of excitement, all eager for the improved communication and the advantages it brings. Whether the line which it is generally thought must sooner or later go to Walgett shall go from Dubbo, and thus connect with Sydney by our Western line, or shall go from Narrabri, and thus find its southern terminal points at Newcastle and Sydney, is now very freely exercising the minds of the inhabitants in the Northern districts. Perhaps people in the towns interested are to be commended for setting forth the advantages of the several routes. In this way those who have the determination of the route are likely to be seised with all the details necessary for their guidance. But if the agitation goes beyond that, and is in any way coercive of the policy which disinterested judgment frames, the country will suffer. Already our railway lines in places have been deflected from the best route to suit particular populations. It is the one thing against which the country requires protection in extending its railways. In view of the large mileage of unremunerative lines, it will be for the interest of the country that the Government proposals shall be few rather than many, and cover a small rather than a large mileage, and that the Government shall only have regard to the various progress committees in so far as they may throw light on the subject. Because there is some talk of a line from Dubbo eastward to Werris Creek on the Great Northern railway, the people of Quirindi, twelve miles to the south, are up in arms, protesting against the diversion of the trade from their township. The people of the country generally will probably want to know why there should be any such cross line at all. It may be doubted whether there is any population in that part of the country to warrant the early creation of traffic that will support a railway line. In view of the fact that the Consolidated Revenue Fund has to meet the interest of about £10,000,000 of unproductive railway capital, the Government proposals to be submitted are of vital concern. The *Railway Gazette*, in comparing the railways of the world, shows that the highest ratio to population is in Australia. These facts ought to be borne in mind when political parties in the Parliament and the progress committees of the various districts are pressing claims of which, in the circumstances, very few can be carried out without unfairly adding to the burdens of the country.

The report of the Railway Commissioners for the second quarter of the year comes opportunely to throw some light on the questions under consideration. But it embraces too short a period to admit of any comprehensive conclusions being drawn from it. The report shows growth in business combined with the development of a more economic system of management. The traffic, of course, must always largely be dependent on the character of the seasons. If there are abundant crops and a large output of our minerals, then the railways will be busy; for the carriage of large harvests of export produce involves the transit of large quantities of farm and station supplies. No doubt traffic may be developed by special facilities, but in the main it will be dependent on the conditions of the seasons. The traffic of the quarter suffered from the phenomenal rainfall and the almost impassable condition of the country roads. It was useless to send goods to railway stations when there was no possibility of getting them beyond. Every merchant in Sydney will recognise the force of this explanation of the reduction in the quarter's traffic. Nevertheless, it appears that there was an increase of £10,294 on the revenue as compared with the second quarter of 1888. Then, also, there has been a decrease in the expenditure, though not so great as would have taken place had not the working expenses of the engineering department been considerably augmented in consequence of a large extra staff having to be employed to repair the damage caused by the floods. Still, the saving in the quarter amounts to £8941. The additional income being £10,294, the Railway Department is £19,235 better off than it was in the second quarter of 1888. But as against this there is the set-off of the greater amount of interest payable on the increase in the capital consequent on the new extensions. What was the amount of this increase in capital cost or in the interest to be charged against the lines, does not appear in the report. With these details we should get a very fair idea of the profitableness or otherwise of the lines. It may be that the quarter's saving, which is equal to about £80,000 per annum, fully represents the amount of interest on the enlarged railway debt. But unless it does the railways are paying no better than they did a year ago. There can be no doubt the Commissioners are working the railways more economically. But whether they are reducing the amount paid out of the Consolidated Revenue to meet the deficiency in the railway income is not by any means clear. They can do much, but the best management in the world will not admit of the profitable working of as many lines as are being clamoured for by members of Parliament and country populations.

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Where does Boulangism stand now? This week's cables seem to lend weight to the statement in a late article in the *New Review* that the ci-devant GENERAL has lost much of his prestige. He has been bidding for the support of the people during the last few days at the elections for the Councils-General, and so far he has been defeated in sixty-eight out of eighty districts. This morning's cable states that BOULANGER is dejected, and accuses the Government of unfair practices. This rumoured dejection agrees with CAMILLE PELLETAN's impeachment in the article to which we have referred. He says, "Those must have little knowledge of M. BOULANGER and his intimates who imagine that they would meet a revulsion of popular feeling with resignation." General BOULANGER has fed, and has been fed, on the popular enthusiasm which was the revulsion from a want of faith in government generally in France. We have often referred to the rough-and-tumble Administrations of the Third Republic, but we have also pointed out that General BOULANGER's popularity could only grow by potent moves upon his part, and by frequent successes. The original enthusiasm sprang from the soldiery, it spread to the masses who wanted an idol, and it reached up to the politicians, including Royalists, Bonapartists, a small portion of the Republican party, and a wing of the Radicals. The faith in the man among the politicians, however, was never so strong as the hope in the movement, and the support extended to the would-be Cæsar was therefore not so sound that it could not be shaken.

It may be that the present defeat is but a receding wave that will be followed by a high tide, but the evidences do not point that way. In the first place, General BOULANGER has been defeated at the present elections in his old constituency, Lille; he is an exile from his country; he is being tried by the Senate; he is charged with the embezzlement of large sums of money; and his only counter-move is with M. ROCHEFORT and Comte DILLON to issue a manifesto in which he accuses the French Ministers with peculation, and to test his strength at the Councils-General elections, with the results that we have recorded. His cards appear to be all out. A year ago he was carried on by a big pressure of popular favour; to-day he is being driven back by the same pressure. That would not dishearten a Napoleon, but it clouds a Boulanger. He stood in the midst of shaking Governments, promulgating safety and peace for France by the revision of the Constitution, a dissolution of the present Chamber, and the abolition of the Senate. It was not, as we said then, a definite and detailed programme. It was tearing-down, with hints at building-up, but with no plan for the building. The Senate that he desired to abolish has abolished him from his scene of political vanity and mock-heroism, and the people who were to vote for the man against the Parliament have voted for the

Parliament. The significance of these elections lies largely in the fact that the Councils-General, meeting with delegates from the communes, elect the senators.

It has been believed all along that the charges against BOULANGER were largely trumped-up—that the French Government were performing a move which was a last resort, and not justified by circumstances; and that BOULANGER, if he were really strong in the country, could turn the act to his account. He has had that opportunity to pose as a martyr, and he has done so; but to awaken enthusiasm nowhere. Against so weak a Government as that led by M. TIRARD, Boulangism, or any popular "ism," ought to prevail; but the lack of finality in the GENERAL'S policy, the want of a really powerful personal force, has left him waiting for something to turn up. From the beginning he has shown dash without solidity, and ambition without power. He has played the duellist to be carried off the field a soldier defeated by a civilian; he has assumed the rôle of Demosthenes to drop into the loud and empty harangues of a "ward-politician," and he has been howled at, and has howled in return, in the Assembly like a recalcitrant oysterman.

The wonder is to see BOULANGER supported by such extreme Republicans as ROCHEFORT and ALFRED NAQUET, and that, being leagued with them, he gets no nearer a defined policy, and achieves no constitutional popularity. His real strength in the country has always lain with the soldiery and with the lower classes, while he has also had the adherence of large numbers of the Civil servants. The latter fact was to be expected, for no Civil Service was ever free from disaffection. But in saying this it must be acknowledged that Boulangism has drawn into working connection with itself a strong section of one party in the Assembly, and it has also succeeded in breaking the solidity of other parties; but it is not the man that keeps the movement alive now so much as the action towards change in political organisation and better administration. The discontented have sought Boulangism as a new definition for their causes; but the man, it seems, is not strong enough to justify the fealty that has been sworn to the revolution of which he is the general but not the genius. He is not a GAMBETTA, and he cannot be such a man, and there has appeared no one in France like GAMBETTA since he vanished. The Republic which was possible guided by men of his stamp was lost in oblivion years ago, and there is a Republic instead the power of which is uncertain and the continuance under its present form doubtful. But BOULANGER is not the man to lead the way to a reconstructed France, or else his achievements belie him. He won a sudden and phenomenal popularity, and it is losing its glamour, while he is doing nothing to wake it to life again, or to save that France which he in his pretensions so much desires to save.

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THE Executive Council met yesterday, and considered the case of the man Morrison, sentenced to death for murdering Constable Sutherland at Potts Point. The recommendation of the jury that mercy should be shown the prisoner on the ground that he had no intention of killing the constable came under notice, but it was decided that it could not be entertained, and that the sentence must be carried out. The execution is fixed for Tuesday, the 20th proximo. The resignation of Judge Dowling, as a metropolitan District Court Judge was accepted. The vacancy has not been filled, but Judge M'Farland will act temporarily as a metropolitan District Court Judge. Public holidays were approved as follows:—The town of Cootamundra, 31st instant; district of Coonamble, 2nd proximo; of Hillston, 9th and 10th proximo; of Young and Murrumburrah, 15th proximo; of St. Leonards, 11th September; of Albury, 12th September; of Forbes, 8th proximo; of Windsor, 31st instant; of Kiama, 21st proximo; and the boroughs of East and West Maitland, 15th proximo.

THIRTEEN questions commenced the business-paper of the Legislative Assembly; but before any of them were put, Mr. Speaker announced the receipt of a message from the Governor recommending that the necessary provision be made in connection with the Payment of Members Bill. In reply to a question in the name of Mr. Waddell, Mr. Bruce Smith said the report of the Royal Commission on Tanks and Wells had engaged a great deal of the attention of the Government; but as so many important issues were involved he feared a final determination could not be arrived at until the recess. Mr. Sydney Smith, in reply to Mr. Seaver, said the question of building a mining museum was under the consideration of the Government. Provision was made some time ago for a suitable room in the new Land Office, but at present the Government were not in a position to say definitely what had been done. With regard to the exhibits stored away, it was intended to send them to the New Zealand Exhibition. In reply to Mr. Paul, Mr. Gould said it was the intention of the Government to increase the salaries of clerks of petty sessions, in lieu of the fees of which they had been deprived; also, that the clerks of petty sessions at the Central Police and Water Police Courts acted in the capacity of chamber magistrates, and it was intended to have them so designated. In reply to Mr. Sobey, Mr. M'Millan said that cattle waggons and sheep vans were cleaned at Homebush for nearly three years at 3d. each, until the beginning of this year, when the price was raised to 3½d. Tenders were called for, and the charge was stated by the successful tenderer. Mr. O'Connor, in reply to Mr. Willis's question, said a letter-carrier named M'Namee was tried in May on a charge of opening letters entrusted to him for delivery. He was found not guilty by the jury, on the ground that he was not responsible for his actions, but the Judge refused to take the verdict, which was altered to acquittal on the ground of insanity. He had been appointed a stamper and sorter on the 8th instant, on the recommendation of several gentlemen, including hon. members of that House.

IN reference to the case of a policeman named Murphy who was assaulted while in the execution of his duty at Bourke, Sir Henry Parkes, in reply to Mr. Crick, said the Medical Board reported that Murphy was suffering from hernia, which rendered him unfit for the duty of a policeman, but would not make him a cripple for life. Murphy had received the maximum gratuity from the Police Superannuation Fund, and it was not intended to pay any further sum. Mr. M'Millan, in reply to Mr. Crick, said the Railway Commissioners came to the conclusion that Mr. Thow was the best officer obtainable as locomotive engineer, from general information obtained as to his abilities and from personal intercourse with him while he was engaged in reporting upon the rolling-stock. With regard to a question about the indent for locomotive boilers lately sent home, Mr. M'Millan repeated the answer which he had given to another question on the same subject last week. Mr. Thow was not authorised to order goods from England on his own responsibility, nor had he done so. Mr. M'Millan, in reply to Mr. Molesworth, said a piece of land between the Newtown and Macdonaldtown stations had been purchased with a view to the widening of the line. Sir Henry Parkes informed Mr. Lyne that he had received no report respecting the true English herring having been found in the Australian waters, but he would cause inquiries to be made. Mr. M'Millan, in answer to Mr. See's question, said differential rates were charged on the Northern Railway, but it was being considered whether some modification was necessary. The Commissioners were alive to the anomalies of the system, but so long as it was in force in the colony, they could not refuse to give the Northern system the benefit of it. Alterations in the scale of rates would be gradually made, so as to reduce the anomalies to a minimum without undue loss of revenue.

THE "preliminary business" of the Legislative Assembly yesterday was unusually long and important, both as regards questions without notice and the statements of Ministers. Mr. Melville, as usual, started the questions without notice. He inquired of the Minister for Mines whether he intended to take any—and if so, what—action with regard to the verdict of the coroner's jury in the inquest on the body of the man killed in the recent colliery disaster at Newcastle. Mr. Sydney Smith said he was going to give notice of his intention to bring in a bill to amend the Coal Mining Regulations Act, and in that bill provision was made which he thought would meet the wishes of the House, and be of great benefit to the miners throughout the colony. Sir Henry Parkes, in reply to a question from Mr. Burns, said he would see that the application of the people of St. Leonards for a fire brigade for their district should be fully considered before he asked the House to proceed with the Fire Brigades Bill. Mr. Playfair drew the attention of the Minister for Works to the condition of the Abattoir-road, which had been rendered almost impassable by the recent bad weather. Mr. Bruce Smith said he had already called for a report on the subject, and on that report he would act. Mr. Melville had another question without notice; he wanted to know if the Minister for Justice had taken any action with regard to the two men sentenced by Judge Windeyer for drunkenness and contempt of court some time ago. Mr. Gould said he would be able to give the hon. member an answer some day next week.

AN important announcement was made to the Legislative Assembly yesterday by Mr. Bruce Smith, who gave notice of his intention to move the reference to the Parliamentary Standing Committee of the following railways:—Goulburn to Crookwell, Nyngan to Cobar, Kiama to Nowra, Marrickville to Burwood-road, the connection of the North Shore Railway with the deep waters of Port Jackson at Milson's Point; also the formation of a breakwater at Byron Bay. Mr. Lyne inquired whether the Minister's notice of motion included all the railways the Government intended to submit at the present time. Mr. Garvan asked if the Eden to Bega railway was to be included. Mr. Abigail asked if the Government was prepared to carry out the promise made 10 years ago, and repeated several times since, to give the Western suburbs a tramway. Mr. Bruce Smith said the notices he had given did not include all the railways which the Government intended to bring forward. Under the Public Works Act it was necessary, in submitting those railways, that they should be accompanied by plans and a report from the Commissioners. But some of the surveys were not yet complete, but he hoped they would be in a week or 10 days. He would then have the pleasure of submitting a further batch to the House. Mr. Lyne inquired whether the Culcairn to Corowa railway would be included in the batch. Mr. Bruce Smith said he intended to submit this line with the other batch. The Government did not see their way to submit the Eden to Bega railway to the Works Committee. He had gone carefully through all the papers and plans, and he felt satisfied that it would be a very great commercial loss, because it was proposed to have this railway distinct from the main trunk system. With regard to the tramway he could not express any opinion. Messrs. Stevenson, Chanter, Dibbs, Burns, and Seaver put questions as to whether certain railways they were interested in were to be included, but Mr. Bruce Smith declined to answer.

MR. TRAILL inquired of the Colonial Secretary whether it was the case that the Premier of Tasmania had taken the initiative with regard to concerted action on the part of all the Australian colonies in reference to the affairs of Western Australia. Sir Henry Parkes said he was glad to have the opportunity of stating what had been done. A communication was opened with this Government by South Australia some days ago, asking whether this Government was in favour of the colonies acting in concert with regard to Western Australia. He replied to the effect that this Government would be happy to act in concert with the other colonies, but they must first know definitely what they were to act in concert about. Since then communications had taken place between this Government and the whole of the other colonies, with the exception of New Zealand. On Monday this Government addressed a circular despatch to the Governments of the whole of the other colonies. Generally speaking, the views of this Government were that the Western Australian Enabling Bill, within its four corners, did not by any means cover all the difficulties of the case; but until they saw exactly what was proposed it was difficult to act in concert. But they had suggested a conference to all the colonies, and if that course could not be taken then there would be a comparison of views by letter. It was in the interest of the whole of the Australian colonies to preserve the soil of the whole of the continent for the purpose of a free Government, and as far as the influence and authority of this Government could extend it would be exercised in that direction. They were extremely anxious that Western Australia should, without loss of time, receive a constitution similar to that of other parts of the continent, and they were not anxious that some new Crown colony should be created out of her territory; on the contrary, they saw very great danger in any such step as that. He should have no objection to lay all the papers in connection with this matter before the House.

MR. ABIGAIL put to the Speaker a question of no little importance. He said the Committee of Elections and Qualifications was appointed on the Speaker's warrant, and they act under oath that they will conduct their duties under the provisions of the Electoral Act of 1880. That Act in section 16 prescribed in clear terms that the proceedings, except in deliberation before and after taking evidence, should be open. But he was told that injustice was likely to occur, and public injury would be done by the committee conducting their affairs with closed doors. He desired to submit to the Speaker the question whether this committee was controlled by the Electoral Act as he had read it, and whether it was within the Speaker's province to decide whether they shall or shall not open their doors, or whether it was necessary for private people to appeal to the Supreme Court. Mr. Speaker said it appeared to him that it was beyond the power of the Speaker to interfere with the committee in any way whatever. The committee was the creature of the statute, and independent both of the Speaker and of the House. It seemed to him that, unless the chairman of the committee asked for the guidance of the House, it would be quite beyond the power of the Speaker to interfere with the management of the committee. If there was any doubt about the matter on the minds of the committee, then the best possible way for them to act would be to put a question to the Speaker, and he would give his opinion subject to an appeal to the House. Except in that way, it seemed to him that the Chair could not interfere with the proceedings of the committee in question.

VERY shortly before half-past 5 o'clock Sir Henry Parkes rose, in a very full House, to move the suspension of the Standing Orders, in order to pass the Payment of Members Bill through all its stages in one day. He commenced by apologising for having the other night used words in reference to the Legislative Council which might be construed into a threat, which he did not for one moment intend. The subject, however, was a very proper one for deliberation in that House, and for submission to the electors of the country. He desired to say a few words to set himself right with those who did not know what his public life had been. When Mr. Wentworth was doing his best to shape the Constitution for this colony, he (Sir Henry Parkes) was a member of a committee which did their best to oppose what they considered illiberal in that Constitution. Amongst these things there was the principle of nomination. From that time until the present he had always advocated the elective principle with regard to the Legislative Council. It was, therefore, unjustifiable to accuse him of taking advantage of the present occasion for any purpose but an honest one. He had always stood up for the rights and privileges of that House. He had always opposed payment of members, but that was no longer under consideration by that House. The question now was the position that bill occupied as affecting the rights of the Legislative Assembly. He did not stand there as Colonial Secretary, but as leader of that House. He then gave an historical view of the manner in which the constitutional rights of the people in regard to taxation arose. He affirmed the principle that two Houses with equal powers would be practically unworkable. If our Constitution was founded upon that of the mother country, then we must have the principle that the elective House shall in every respect control the expenditure of the people's money. He reminded those who contended that the Legislative Council had power to amend the bill in question as they did that if that power existed the Council had actually greater power than the Legislative Assembly had; and the Upper House themselves, by their action since they came into existence, had acknowledged that they were in the same position as the Upper Chamber in the mother country. In this case, the bill related to the Assembly alone, and the Council, by passing the second reading, affirmed the principle of the bill. At this stage of the proceedings the House adjourned for dinner.

RESUMING after dinner, Sir Henry Parkes said he now came to the attitude of the Legislative Council, who, after affirming the principle that payment of members was right, proceeded to dictate to that Assembly how those salaries should be paid. And he could not imagine any more irritating way in which this could be done than in the attitude the Legislative Council took upon this matter. He contended that the Legislative Council had forgotten its place in the Constitution of this country. He had always defended the proper rights of the Legislative Council, but it never was intended that they should exercise control over bills that affected the expenditure of this free people. He did not wish to raise the question of the relative powers of the two Houses now, but he wished to protest against the insult offered to that Assembly. They were taking the right course in sending this bill back in the shape in which it was sent to the Council before.

MR. DIBBS said he could not understand whether the speech of the Premier was on the second reading of the bill, or whether it was addressed to the very simple motion before the Chair. He wanted to know what they had to do with the long account they had had of the hon. member's views with regard to making the Upper Chamber elective or not. He congratulated the Premier upon the apology he had made for the uncalled-for remarks he had made on the previous occasion, and on the temperate character of his remarks up to the adjournment for dinner. But he could not approve of the insults and arrogance the Premier had showered upon the Legislative Council in the latter part of his remarks. He asked what they had to do now with the question of making the Upper House elective. He denied that the Upper House had ever done anything to wrest from that Assembly its privileges and rights. Nor did he see what necessity there was for passing the bill through all its stages in one day. The Upper House had been a wholesome check upon the hasty legislation of that Assembly, and if it had made mistakes, that was nothing more than the House of Lords had done. Having made that protest, he should support the passing of that bill through all its stages in one day.

MR. REID said it was certainly their duty to show to the other House that respect which they claimed for themselves. He would ask if they had an elective Upper House, would they be any less likely to have conflicts with it? He contended that there were more conflicts where they had elective Upper Chambers than we ever had had here. If there was any fault in the constitution of the Upper House, it arose from the abuse of power made in the appointments to that body. He regretted very much the language that had been used, and in the interests of the country they should show to the Upper House that respect and courtesy without which the business of the Parliament could not be carried on. But what were they fighting about? This amendment was a question whether they should be paid from the beginning of this year or from the beginning of a new Parliament. That was the wretched excuse upon which they were going to fight a constitutional battle. He referred to cases in former times where differences had arisen between the two Houses, to show how different the course of action taken on those occasions was to the manner in which they were dealing with it now. These things had been done by the Council before, and on all those occasions they got over the difficulty without plunging the country into confusion. They had asserted the right of that Assembly in laying the bill aside, and he cordially approved of all that had been done up to that stage. He pointed out that none of the previous bills for payment of members sent to the Upper House contained the provision that it should apply to the then existing Parliament. The Upper House had now agreed to the principle that they had thrown out three times before, but they had thrown out the retrospective application of the principle. He contended that the Council had yielded to the wishes of that Assembly. The point at issue was not of sufficient importance to justify a deadlock between the two Houses. If the House would only alter the bill so as to do away with the retrospective principle a deadlock would be averted, and no one would suffer except themselves.

MR. J. P. ABBOTT contended that no language used in that Assembly towards the members of the Council was nearly so bad as that used by the Council towards the Assembly. On all previous occasions that House had asserted its rights when the Legislative Council had attempted to interfere with money bills. He went into the constitutional aspect of the question, and urged that the only power the Legislative Council had in regard to dealing with money bills was to accept or reject them, but they could not alter them in any way. He quoted authorities at some length in support of this view. Mr. Slattery deplored that such strong language had been used in both Houses. He was in favour of the nominee system as applied to the Upper House, and he believed that our Legislative Council had done very good work in the past. There was no necessity whatever in discussing the present question to go into the matter of making the Upper House elective. At the same time it could not be denied that in the present matter the Council had grossly exceeded its powers. The question of payment of members was before the people at the last general election, and was decidedly accepted by them. Mr. Copeland thought much of the time taken up in that discussion was wasted. He repeated his contention that the Constitution Act gave the Legislative Council equal powers with the Assembly; and he argued that the bill they were discussing was in no sense a money bill. It was a bill to amend the Constitution Act, and to dissolve the Legislative Assembly, because if they accepted payment for their services they would be accepting offices of profit under the Crown, and would therefore vacate their seats. He quoted from the opinions of Mr. Wentworth and Mr. Dalley in support of his contention that the powers of the Legislative Council and those of the Legislative Assembly were co-ordinate.

MR. LYNE protested against the language that had been used by the Premier and by Mr. J. P. Abbott that night, and he also protested against language that had been used by certain hon. members of the Legislative Council. He said the Premier had been accused by one of the papers of being an opportunist. Sir Henry Parkes rose to order. The hon. member had no right to accuse him of acting with the unworthy motive of retaining office a little longer. Mr. Lyne said if the remarks he had made were offensive to the Premier he would withdraw them, but he contended that the principle of payment of members, which he strongly approved of, should apply to the next Parliament, and not to the present one. The country should have another opportunity of giving an opinion upon it. Mr. Melville contended that payment of members was an essential principle of democracy. Mr. Wall had intended, when he heard the threat of the Premier the other day, to vote against this bill, but now that the Premier had withdrawn the remark, he should vote for it. Mr. Hutchison (of Glen Innes), contended that the people's representatives should have the sole control of the public expenditure. He hoped this matter would be settled at once, and he should support the Premier's motion. Mr. H. Stephen objected to the intemperate remarks of Mr. Lyne, and spoke in support of payment of members. The motion for the suspension of the Standing Orders was agreed to, and the bill was brought in and read the first time. On the motion for the second reading Mr. Copeland again took the point that if members received payment they would thereby lose their seats. The second reading was agreed to, and in committee Mr. Reid moved an amendment to make the payment date from the passing of the Act. Mr. Dibbs said the Opposition, with a view to bring the matter to a close, had agreed to accept the amendment, which would not involve the abandonment of any principles.

SOME members of the Opposition met yesterday to consider what action they should take in the crisis which has arisen over the Payment of Members Bill. The meeting was of a private character; but, we are informed, was not largely attended, many of the most prominent members of the party being absent.

THE petition of the director of Government Asylums and boarding-out officer, presented to the Legislative Assembly last evening, would seem to indicate that a difference of opinion has arisen between a select committee of the House and the Colonial Secretary as to the exercise of certain powers by Sir Henry Parkes. The petition states that on July 5 the House appointed a select committee to inquire into and report upon the removal of Mrs. Sarah Cunynghame from the position of matron-superintendent of the Macquarie-street (Parramatta) Asylum for Infirm and Destitute, which removal it became the painful duty of the petitioner to recommend in his official capacity to the Government. Mrs. Cunynghame received the consent of the House to be heard by counsel or attorney before the Select Committee. Mr. Sydney Maxted, as agent of the Government in the matter, obtained the authority of the Colonial Secretary to be likewise represented by attorney before the committee. At the first meeting of the committee, however, objection was raised to the attorney appointed to represent the petitioner, as agent of the Government, appearing in the case without the leave of the Legislative Assembly, and the meeting was accordingly adjourned until Wednesday, July 31st, to admit of the question being determined. The petitioner prayed that as Mrs. Cunynghame was represented by both counsel and attorney, learned in the law, he might in his official capacity be represented by attorney before the committee, and be allowed to call witnesses, adduce evidence, and cross-examine such witnesses as might give evidence before the committee. The Assembly acquiesced in the desire of the petitioner.

The report of the Select Committee, appointed to inquire relative to the case of Mr. Zachary Benn, was laid upon the table of the Legislative Assembly last evening. It appears that on July 24, 1884, Zachary Benn conditionally purchased 202½ acres of land in the county of Richmond, parish of Shannon. The land was subsequently forfeited on the ground of non-residence by the conditional purchaser. The Select Committee reports that such forfeiture appeared to be against the weight of evidence, which proved that Benn did reside upon his land. The committee were of opinion that Mr. Benn's conditional purchase should not have been recommended for forfeiture, and therefore recommended the case to the favourable consideration of the Government.

THE Colonial Treasurer laid upon the table of the Legislative Assembly last evening a paper giving details as to the work done at the Government Printing Office during the year 1888. The total value of the work done (including cost of paper and parchment) is given as £112,245, this amount including 50 per cent. for incidental expenses estimated as follows:—Superintendence, including accounts, 10 per cent.; reading, 10 per cent.; publishing, 10 per cent.; correcting authors' proofs, 15 per cent.; wear and tear, and interest on capital invested, 5 per cent. The estimated value of letter press and lithographic printing done during the year was £75,557; the bookbinding was set down at £14,186; and the photo-lithography, photography, &c., at £4489. The total value of work performed (irrespective of paper and parchment) is given as £94,233, whilst the cost of paper and parchment is given as £18,012. The departments, &c., for which the £112,245 worth of work was done were:—Legislative Council, £3886; Assembly, £11,092; *Government Gazette*, £16,525; job printing for the public departments, £66,717; stereotyping, electrotyping, engraving, repairs to machinery, type-founding, and clerical work, &c., £9266. The cost of job printing done for each of the departments was respectively as follows:—Colonial Secretary, £14,005; Colonial Treasurer, £10,931; Minister of Public Instruction, £2910; Minister of Justice, £1740; Attorney-General, £241; Minister for Lands, £3497; Minister for Works, £12,486; Postmaster-General (three sub-departments), £13,915; Minister for Mines, £2046; miscellaneous (which includes printing done in connection with Melbourne Centennial Exhibition, Sydney Women's Industrial Exhibition, and Water and Sewerage Board), £8526. The report also embraces a statement in tabular form, showing the title of each book, pamphlet, and collection of photographs or lithographs published at the Government Printing Office during the year, as well as the number of copies produced, and the total cost of each set.

THE Minister of Education, Mr. Carruthers, has recently devoted a large amount of his time to the subject of technical education, and, with the object of ascertaining how things work under the present system, he has made several visits to the Technical College and consulted with its council and officers. Mr. Carruthers is satisfied that good work has already been done, but is not pleased with the dual system of control of the Minister of Education and the board, as he finds that on account of differences of opinion between the Education Department and the Department of Technical Education the influence of the Technical College has been somewhat impaired. He makes every allowance for the drawback to the operations of the board through lack of accommodation, but considers that the board is too large and unwieldy. The Minister is not only taking Sydney and its suburbs into account, but has to look to the country districts where there is a demand for technical instruction. For instance, within the last week applications have been received from 197 persons at Broken Hill asking for instruction principally in scientific and mining matters. Mr. Carruthers says it was never intended that the Sydney board should have control beyond the metropolis, and that it would indeed be impracticable for them to go beyond at present as the annual vote of £17,000 is scarcely sufficient to meet the requirements of the city and suburbs. Mr. Carruthers had an interview with Mr. Wallace, Professor of Agriculture at the Edinburgh University, on Monday, concerning the subject of instruction in agriculture, and has submitted proposals to the Cabinet providing that branch colleges shall be established in various centres of the colony for instruction in the subject most suitable to their respective districts. A more harmonious arrangement will be made in common with the Education Department and the Department of Technical Education; and the Superior schools, the High schools, the Technological Museum and the Technical College will be brought into closer relationship, so as to produce better general results, though on a more economical basis.

THE Premier, Sir Henry Parkes, received last night the following telegrams in reference to the subject of self-government for West Australia:—"Both Houses passed to-day an address to the Queen, praying her Majesty to speedily extend to Western Australia a full measure of responsible government, which will be cabled forthwith. (Signed) DR. COCKBURN, Premier, South Australia." "Agreeing with you that precisely similar joint action by the colonies is desirable, this Government suspends its purpose to ask Parliament to pass resolutions on West Australian question until next Tuesday, when both branches of the Legislature will be sitting, and your letter of yesterday will have been received.—(Signed) P. O. FYSH, Premier, Tasmania."

THE Minister for Education has had a series of plans prepared for Public school buildings suitable for country districts, and it is his intention to submit the plans to the Legislative Assembly when the Estimates are under consideration.

A TELEGRAM received yesterday morning from Gabo Island runs as follows:—"Sharp shock of earthquake, lasting about 4 seconds, was experienced at 6.20 o'clock last evening. The shock was distinctly felt, and appeared to travel from north to south."

SEVERAL interesting reports, of which we give summaries in another portion of this issue, were laid upon the table of the Legislative Assembly last evening. They include a report by Mr. Thow, locomotive engineer, on the condition of the rolling stock on the New South Wales railways; a return by the Railway Commissioners showing the result of their administration of the railways for the quarter ended June 30; and a report on the Sydney Grammar School.

WE are informed that Captain Fielding, late of the s.s. Fijian, who died in the St. Vincent's Hospital on Friday, has left £100 to that institution, and various sums to other charities.

MR. CHARLES SEYMOUR DOWDELL, who took his M.B. degree in May, went to England in 1883, holding the Tasmanian Scholarship (£200 per annum for four years). He entered the London University the same year. He studied at University College Hospital, and passed M.R.C.S. and L.R.C.P. in June, 1888. Since then he has held appointments at the Surry County Asylum and at St. Marylebone Infirmary.

THE Colonial Mineral and Water Boring Company, Limited, received, yesterday, a telegram from the manager of the Manfred Downs Station, Queensland (which is situated about 200 miles to the west of Hughendon), as follows:—"Struck big supply artesian yesterday, 678ft." The bore from which this supply has been obtained was the first of a series intended to be put down on the station in question, and it appears, further, from the telegram that the supply was so abundant that it was not deemed necessary to bore any deeper.

WE understand that arrangements have been completed for holding yearly exhibitions of pictures in Sydney, Melbourne, and Adelaide, to be selected by the Anglo-Australian Society of Artists after the close of the principal London Exhibitions. Also that the Earl of Kintore has become a patron of the society.

THE deposits received at the Government Savings Bank for the week ended on Monday last number 4198, representing £18,945, and the withdrawals number 1916, amounting to £19,543.

THE case of Rogers v. Turner, a dispute about the ownership of a house and allotment of land at Newcastle, was concluded in the Equity Court yesterday, his Honor Mr. Justice Owen giving a verdict in favour of the plaintiff. The action of Burns and others v. Allen and others, a somewhat complicated suit, with regard to the area of a Crown grant at Botany, was also commenced, and was not concluded when the Court rose.

THE Full Court got through a large number of motions for rules nisi yesterday, but of course the various cases have yet to be argued on the applications to make the rules nisi absolute. The matters dealt with, and in which the applications were granted were—Christie v. Robertson, Campbell v. Noonan, Broughton v. Mackenzie, Oatley's Estate Company v. M'Rae, Harris v. Bowman, and Wright, Heaton, and Company v. Cassin. In Meyer v. Cowper, the case was adjourned until to-day with a view to a settlement, and in Marshall v. Duchatel the rule was refused.

IN a paragraph in yesterday's issue, it was stated that a labourer named Edward Chisholm had been sentenced to six months' hard labour on a charge of larceny. The statement should have been that a labourer named Charles Laporte was sentenced for stealing from the house of Edward Chisholm.

"DAIRYMAN" writes complaining that some of the lucerne hay coming into Sydney from the Hunter district contains from ½cwt. to 1½cwt. of black dirt per bale, which he asserts is put in for the purpose of gaining extra weight.

IN connection with the holiday, Thursday, August 1, the Railway Commissioners have made arrangements for a special train to run from Sydney to the Hawkesbury River and back.

THE Permanent Artillery Band, under the direction of Bandmaster Devery, will perform the following programme in the Botanic Gardens this afternoon, weather permitting, commencing at 3 o'clock:—March, "Rolling home to dear old England" (Arbuckle); valse, "My Pet" (Bucalossi); selection, opera "Maritana" (Wallace); glee, "The winds whistle cold" (Bishop); gavotte, "Hertzliebchen" (Burald); polka, "Hollybush" (Godfrey); "God save the Queen."

REPORT for the week ending July 27, of the number of pauper patients under treatment in the metropolitan hospitals at the Government expense:—Coast Hospital: Admissions, 28 males, 5 females; discharges, 23 males, 13 females. Sydney Hospital: Admissions, 17 males, 4 female; discharges, 15 males, 10 females; death, 1 female. Prince Alfred Hospital: Admissions, 2 males, 1 female; discharges, 7 males, 2 females; death, 1 female.

## THE METROPOLITAN OF BULGARIA.

### CHARGE OF USING SEDITIOUS LANGUAGE.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 29.

Monsignor Clement, Metropolitan of Bulgaria, has been summoned to answer a charge of using seditious language in the pulpit. He, however, refuses to appear.

## *THE PRESBYTERIAN JUBILEE IN VICTORIA.*

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, TUESDAY.

A special meeting of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Victoria, in connection with the celebration of the Presbyterian Jubilee, was held this morning. The delegates from the Church in Scotland, Dr. Rainy and Dr. M'Gregor, with all the intercolonial representatives, were associated for the current meetings of the Assembly. A communication was read from the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, tendering its congratulations on the occasion of the jubilee, and explaining that their delegate, Dr. Lynd, had been detained by a domestic affliction when he was just on the point of sailing.

The Jubilee celebration of the Presbyterian Church in Victoria was commenced to-night by a conversazione in the Town Hall, to welcome Principal Rainy and Dr. M'Gregor, delegates from the Scottish churches. Sir James M'Bain presided, and there was a large attendance.

## *A NEW THEATRE FOR MELBOURNE.*

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, TUESDAY.

It is intended to erect a new theatre in Collins-street East on land between Russell and Exhibition streets, owned by the Professional-chambers Company. The theatre will be designed to accommodate about 1800 persons. Brough and Boucicault have arranged to lease it for a long term.

## CABLEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

### ABORIGINAL NAMES FOR THE AUSTRALIAN SQUADRON.

LONDON, JULY 29.

Sir Saul Samuel has requested Lord George Hamilton, First Lord of the Admiralty, to confer Australian aboriginal names upon the vessels designed for the Australian Auxiliary Squadron. It is probable that this request will be acceded to by the Imperial authorities.

### THE BEHRING FISHERY DIFFICULTY.

LONDON, JULY 29.

The naval authorities of the United States in Behring Strait have caused to be seized the Black Diamond, a Canadian vessel, for trespass upon the seal-fishing grounds alleged to belong to the States.

### THE SHAH IN PARIS.

LONDON, JULY 30.

The Shah of Persia has arrived in Paris.

### THE TRUST FUNDS INVESTMENT BILL.

LONDON, JULY 30.

The Trust Funds Investment Bill has been passed by the House of Commons.

### IMPRISONMENT OF DR. TANNER.

LONDON, JULY 30.

Dr. C. K. D. Tanner, M.P. for Mid-Cork, has been sentenced to one month's imprisonment, with hard labour, for spitting at the police.

### ENGLISH, SCOTTISH, AND AUSTRALIAN CHARTERED BANK.

LONDON, JULY 30.

The new shares issued to the public by the English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank have been subscribed, enabling the bank to place a sum of £90,000 to the reserve fund.

It has been decided to open a branch of the bank in Brisbane.

## GRANTS TO THE ROYAL FAMILY.

### MR. MORLEY'S AMENDMENT REJECTED.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

In the House of Commons last night a division was taken upon the amendment of Mr. John Morley, M.P. for Newcastle-on-Tyne, opposing the Royal allowances unless an agreement be come to that no further applications be made to Parliament for grants to the Royal family.

The amendment was rejected by 355 to 134.

Mr. Chamberlain accused the opponents of the Royal grants with being the Nihilists of English politics.

## THE EUROPEAN SITUATION.

### SPEECH BY LORD SALISBURY.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

In the House of Lords last night, Lord Salisbury, speaking on the present aspect of affairs in Europe, admitted that the attitude of Russia in the Balkans was "very correct," and that her policy was pacific. He commented upon the symptoms of stability and progress in Bulgaria.

## A FRANCO-RUSSIAN ALLIANCE.

BY CABLE.
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

The *Wiener Tagblatt*, a Vienna journal, and the Berlin newspaper, *Allgemeine Zeitung*, state that France and Russia have concluded a formal defensive alliance on the model of that existing between Austria and Germany.

## THE ELECTIONS IN FRANCE.

### DEFEAT OF GENERAL BOULANGER.

### THE GENERAL IN A DEJECTED MOOD.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

The results of the elections to the Councils-General in France show that General Boulanger has been elected in only 12 out of 80 districts, including Bordeaux, Tours, Nancy, and Amiens. He was defeated at Lille, his own district. The Conservatives have gained 27 seats.

General Boulanger is dejected in consequence of the result of the elections. He accuses the Government of unfair practices.

## THE REBELLION IN THE SOUDAN.

### MARCH OF THE DERVISHES NORTHWARD.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 30.

Latest advices from the Soudan state that the dervishes have resumed their march northwards in the direction of Assouan. General Wodehouse, commander of the British forces at Wady Halfa, is following them up.

*A VOTRE SANTE.*

Fry's Malted Cocoa is pure, refreshing, and stimulating. An ordinary breakfast cup of Malted Cocoa is more invigorating in the early morning or with lunch than any other beverage.—[ADVT.]

## THE VICTORIAN BUDGET.

### SATISFACTORY CONDITION OF THE FINANCES.

### INCREASES IN THE PROPOSED EXPENDITURE.

### ALTERATIONS IN THE TARIFF.

### THE GOVERNMENT PROGRAMME.

### NO INCREASE IN THE STOCK TAX.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, TUESDAY.

As soon as the Legislative Assembly met this afternoon, Mr. Gillies delivered the budget statement. The chamber was well filled, and the public galleries were crowded. The Treasurer congratulated the House on the very satisfactory condition of the finances of the country. Last year he had an excellent story to tell; he had a still better one this year. He referred in detail to the figures placed before the Assembly last year. They estimated the revenue for this year at £8,269,845; but they anticipated losses in certain alterations of the tariff amounting to £101,000, which would reduce the revenue to £8,168,845. They expected to receive in certain recoups £39,000, and £793,000 in other recoups. Special appropriations for this year were estimated at £2,411,330, and the expenditure under votes would amount to £7,319,046, or a rough total of £9,730,359. Comparisons of the revenue would show that in 1888-1889 the estimated surplus was £2,374,610, but the actual receipts amounted to £2,709,830. The balance brought forward to the current year was £1,607,559, independent of advances to the amount of £211,000, which have to be recouped from loans. The estimated revenue for the current year was £8,168,846, and taking the recoups into account this would bring the total receipts to £10,608,854. The estimated expenditure was £10,523,800, leaving a balance to be carried forward to 1890-1891 of £85,045. The estimated expenditure for 1889-1890 was £1,321,000 above the actual expenditure last year. The territorial revenue gave an excess of £40,000, and though the territorial revenue was only estimated at £557,000, the Government actually received £616,000, and the increases over the estimated sums in the other departments were proportionate. He desired to call attention to the comparison between the revenue really received last year and that estimated by the Government for this year, the details showing in round numbers that the Government Estimates for this year were £400,000 less than the sum actually received last year. That showed they had not made any undue effort to inflate the financial position. In the expenditure proposed for this year, there would be an increase in most of the departments. The expenditure for public works would be increased from £761,000 last year to £1,077,000 this year; the expenditure for the Postal Department would be increased from £511,000 to £604,000, and in the railways from £1,824,000 to £2,217,000. The total increase in the expenditure this year would amount to £1,321,000. Of that sum £215,000 would be spent on school buildings and other equally non-productive works, in accordance with the policy of the Government not to borrow English money for such works. The Government proposed to expend £150,000 on rabbit extermination, £250,000 for the agricultural and wine industry bonuses, and £140,000 additional to municipal subsidies. A portion of this grant will be made for the establishment of technical and agricultural colleges and new agricultural machinery. Special appropriations amounted to £2,018,284 last year, and would be increased to £2,411,000. Of this amount £276,100 would be devoted towards the redemption of bonds due in October next on the Geelong railway line. The estimated sale of the Kew Asylum site would realise £800,000, out of which £300,000 would be devoted to the establishment of cottage hospitals in the country districts. The money would be earmarked for the purpose, but whatever decision was arrived at, the present barracks system must be abolished. A portion of this money would be also utilised towards continuing the Parliament House buildings, completing the Public Library, and the University. Mr. Gillies stated that the total amount of expenditure on the railways was £30,125,000, the total indebtedness of the colony being £37,627,381. It was proposed to obtain a torpedo boat capable of steaming 28 knots. He intimated that the expenditure for gold prospecting was not satisfactory, and hoped that the Royal Commission would furnish satisfactory lines to proceed on. He claimed that the Government had done a great deal in the way of coal prospecting by defining where coalfields did not exist. Systematic attempts would be made to test and develop the deposits of brown coal ascertained to exist in the colony, and intimated that owing to the increased cost of coal and other causes the cost of working the railways had increased by 4 per cent., equivalent to an increase of £124,000. The Government had abandoned the idea of consolidating the tariff, and would confine their dealings with it to alterations. Amongst the principal proposed alterations were—oats and barley, increased from 2s. to 3s. per cental; fruits and vegetables, preserved, increases equivalent to 3d. per lb.; fruits, pulp, duty of 2d. per lb.; fruits, green, raised from 9d. to 1s. 6d. per bushel; butter and oleomargarine, a duty of 1s. per lb.; tea reduced from 3d. to 1d. per lb. A number of other alterations would be made, principally in the direction of a slight increase. Amongst the articles to be exempted from duty are rabbit asphyxiators, dairy refrigerators, butter workers, portable and traction engines, fire engines, and refrigerating machinery. It was proposed to alter the law respecting the importation of opium, which would involve a loss of £5000 per annum. The Government programme included the reduction of the letter postage to 1d. It was not intended to propose an increase in the stock tax, as the country had decided against it. The Government felt bound to bow to the decision, believing the tax would interfere with national unity. He denied that the increase of the grain duties would have a similar effect, and believed that an increased stock tax would greatly injure the farmers. He thought their interests would be better served by agricultural bonuses, irrigation, and cheap railway transit than by a tax, which would interfere with the trade with the neighbouring colonies. The Government desired to make peace with the farming community, but it must be peace with honour. The Premier spoke just two hours, and concluded amidst applause. A Supply Bill for £2,430,600 was passed and the House, at 6.35 p.m., adjourned till next day.

## *THE WRECK OF THE MALLSGATE.*

### SAFETY OF THE MISSING MEN.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, TUESDAY.

Captain Madams and the others of the shipwrecked crew of the Mallsgate, who were taken to the hospital last night in a state of extreme exhaustion, are reported to be progressing favourably. A telegram received this evening from Double Island Point, near Wide Bay, states that six of the crew of the Mallsgate had just reached there, and five others were on the beach 16 miles away, too weak to travel. A springcart has been despatched to bring them in. The crew suffered greatly from privation. They divided a bottle of preserved fruit per day between them during the last five days. They are quite destitute. The Government were despatching the steamer Normanby this evening to search for the missing boat, but the order was countermanded on receipt of the above intelligence.

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## INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondents.)

### VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The mining community at Ballarat are watching with keen interest the threatened strike at Broken Hill, the general feeling being that any extreme step on the part of the Broken Hill Miners' Association at the present time would be ill-advised and disastrous.

An application was made to the Full Court to-day calling on Alfred Butler, solicitor, to show cause why he should not answer statements in affidavit, or be struck off the rolls. The application was made at the instance of Fitzgerald, Sheehan, and Co., of Richmond. The affidavit alleged that the firm proceeded against a debtor for an account, and he paid the money into the court, amounting to a little over £9. Butler, who had been paid as plaintiffs' solicitor, drew this money out of court, and on being applied to for the amount he said he must have lost it. He afterwards said the applicants could do their best. The Court suspended Butler for one month to pay the taxed costs of the motion, and to remain suspended till the costs were paid.

### SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

The Government have issued circulars to the heads of departments to the effect that further efforts are to be made to keep work within the colony.

The directors of Block 14 mine passed through Adelaide from Melbourne to-day, and were joined by the Adelaide members of the board. They left for Broken Hill for the usual inspection of the mine.

The hearing of the evidence in the libel action William Hutchison against John Baxter Mather and George Ash, was concluded to-day before Mr. Justice Boucaut and a special jury. Mr. Nesbit addressed the jury on behalf of Mather, and was followed by Ash, who in a speech of much ability sought to show that his motives in writing the newspaper article complained of were upright, and that the charges had been substantiated. Ash asked that if a verdict for plaintiff were returned the consequences should fall on himself alone, as Mather had not seen the article until it was published. His address was not finished when the Court adjourned. The case will probably terminate to-morrow.

### QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The Government has received a telegram from Western Australia asking for co-operation in the matter of the Enabling Bill. This was considered by the Cabinet to-day, and it was deemed advisable for the Premier to communicate with the other colonies with a view to some unanimous action by all.

Mr. Dillon, after having had an enthusiastic reception at Gympie, left for Maryborough to-day.

Sir W. MacGregor arrived from New Guinea to-day in the steamer Merrie England.

### TASMANIA.

HOBART, Tuesday.

A petition was circulated to-day in the Assembly praying Her Majesty to increase the number of members for Tasmania on the Federal Council to four. This will be adopted by both Houses, and forwarded in due course.

Reference was made in the Assembly to the telegrams from the Premier of New South Wales regarding the proposed Constitution for Western Australia. It was decided to postpone action till next week, as the Council would not sit till then.

A telegram has been received by the Government from the engineer laying out the Mount Zehan railway, estimating the cost at £84,000.

### NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, Tuesday.

A petition is being forwarded to the Government, asking that an inspector of reservoirs be appointed for the colony.

The Premier has received a telegram from Sir Henry Parkes, intimating that New South Wales will require 20,000ft. of space at the Dunedin Exhibition.

While two brothers named Edwards were playing on the Bridge at Hamilton one fell over, a depth of 90ft., and was instantaneously killed.

Lord Cranley, the Governor's son, is ill with fever.

## *THE CARLTON MURDER.*

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The inquest on the body of Annie Thornton, who was murdered at Carlton on July 8, was concluded to-day. The prisoner Castillo (not Costello, as was first announced), was present. The jury returned a verdict of wilful murder, and the prisoner was committed for trial.

## *RAILWAY MEETING AT QUIRINDI.*

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

QUIRINDI, Tuesday.

A meeting was held in the School of Arts last evening in reference to the proposed railway from Dubbo to a point on the Northern line. Mr. George Nowland, J.P., was chairman, and nearly all the influential townspeople and a few gentlemen from the outlying district were present. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Quirindi Progress Association. Mr. R. V. Allnutt, J.P., moved and Mr. E. Underwood, J.P., seconded a motion, the effect of which was that "this meeting views with alarm the contemplated diversion of the traffic of the south-western portion of the Liverpool Plains from its natural channel by the construction of a line of railway from Dubbo to Werris Creek; that for a number of years graziers, farmers, and others residing in that portion of the district have transacted their business with Quirindi, and could only make other arrangements at considerable loss, and by the proposed diversion of traffic from Quirindi to Werris Creek, if a railway as surveyed be constructed, the people in Quirindi will suffer considerable loss, and local land values will deteriorate: that in order to prevent such a catastrophe, this meeting, being alive to the fact that the time has arrived when it is desirable to connect the Great Western and Northern railways, pledges itself to adopt every constitutional means to induce the Government to cause the junction to be located at Quirindi in lieu of Werris Creek, and with this object in view a committee be appointed to prepare a petition for presentation per favour of Messrs. Dowel, Levien, and Turner, Ms.L.A., to the Minister for Works."

Mr. Allnutt gave some important information respecting the great amount of business done at the local railway station for the previous 12 months to June 30th. Mr. Underwood said the matter had been mentioned to Commissioner Oliver, who had promised if the matter was laid before the proper authorities, he would see that the different routes were compared. A resolution was then carried to the effect that the co-operation be obtained of Messrs. J. P. Abbott, Levien, Dowel, and Turner, Ms.L.A., and they be requested to endeavour to stay further proceedings of the Public Works Committee until receipt of a petition from the residents of Quirindi and Liverpool Plains. Four gentlemen present were selected to draw up the petition, and the meeting closed.

## *MINING ACCIDENT AT NEWCASTLE.*

### ANOTHER MINER KILLED.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.

A miner named Elgin, working at the Newcastle Coal Company's colliery, was killed this morning by a fall of coal. Deceased leaves a widow and five children.

*GIVE ME A SWALLOW.*

A lover swallowed the postage-stamp which was on his sweetheart's letter because he knew her lips touched it. Many swallow Walker's Whisky when their lips touch it.—[Advt.]

## *AUSTRALASIAN PARLIAMENTS.*

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondents.)

### VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

In the Legislative Council to-day Mr. Cuthbert assured Mr. Service that the Government had sent an invitation to Sir Wm. M'Gregor, the Governor of British New Guinea, to visit Melbourne and discuss the question of the future administration of that colony. The Public Service Amending Bill was read a first time, the Public Health Bill was further considered in committee, and progress was reported. The Supply Bill was received from the Assembly and passed through all its stages. The House adjourned at 10 o'clock till to-morrow.

### QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

In the Legislative Council the Supply Bill was passed through all its stages. After some formal business the House adjourned as a mark of respect to the late Mr. D. F. Roberts, who had been Chairman of Committees for 29 years.

In the Assembly, in reply to Sir Samuel Griffith, the Premier said that the Government had received a communication from the Speaker of the Western Australian Legislature regarding the Enabling Bill, and also from the Governments of South Australia and Tasmania, but none officially from New South Wales or Victoria. Only a few months ago Queensland stood alone in assisting Western Australia in the matter. The Ministry intended to wait until they saw what Victoria and New South Wales would do. He hoped to have their opinions to-morrow, and would then ask the House what they were prepared to do regarding the matter. The consideration of the Civil Service Bill in committee was resumed. A further long discussion took place on the superannuation provisions. Sir Samuel Griffith contended that the fund as proposed could not possibly remain solvent. He was in favour of a measure to give equal justice to the incoming members of the service and those already in; but as proposed they would not receive it. Mr. Macrossan said the clause expressed the ideas of the Ministry, and was fair for all parties. He argued at length, showing that the clause was fair and equitable. Mr. Unmack moved an amendment that no pensions shall be payable at the end of five years unless the result of the actuarial investigation then to be held had proved the fund to be sufficient to meet the claims against it; in the event of their being insufficient, then the moneys collected, with interest accrued, to be returned *pro rata.* Mr. Morehead said the Government declined to accept Mr. Unmack's amendment, but would be agreeable to an amendment giving the Civil Service Board power to increase the contributions if the actuarial investigation showed that those fixed by the bill were not enough. The discussion was continued for some hours, but no conclusion was come to. The House adjourned at 10.40 p.m., without having made any progress.

### SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

Both Houses to-day passed addresses to the Queen, stating that having in common with the other colonies long enjoyed the advantage of self-government, under which our material prosperity had increased and our loyalty and devotion to Her Majesty continued unabated, and feeling confident that the same results would follow the granting of similar powers to our fellow-colonists in Western Australia, and humbly praying Her Majesty to be pleased to speedily extend to Western Australia a full measure of responsible government, thus advancing the cause of federation and completing the Australian unity, by adding Western Australia to the group of loyal, contented, and autonomous colonies. This form of address was adopted in preference to one to the Secretary of State following the suggestion by Sir John Downer that Western Australia had power under an Imperial Act of 1850 to pass an Act giving to themselves responsible government, as all the other colonies had done, irrespective of the sanction of the Imperial Parliament, and subject only to the signification of the Queen's assent. Mr. Kingston, however, suggested that, as this Act was modified from the original form respecting the limitation of territory, it would probably necessitate a new bill, which was not contemplated by the Act of 1850.

In the Council some little opposition was made to the address on the ground of the land monopoly, chiefly, but the motion was carried by 14 to 4. The address was cabled immediately to England. The Council further discussed the Government policy, and again adjourned till to-morrow.

### NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, Tuesday.

The political deadlock continues without change.

## *KIAMA PASTURES AND STOCK PROTECTION BOARD.*

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

KIAMA, Tuesday.

A meeting of the Kiama Pastures and Stock Protection Board was held at the council-chambers this afternoon, the members present being—Messrs. Robert Miller (chairman), Henry Fredericks, and George Somerville. Amongst the incoming communications was a letter from the Chief Inspector of Stock, forwarding a copy of a minute submitted by him to the Minister for Mines, suggesting certain fresh regulations with respect to travelling stock, which it is proposed, should they meet with the approval of the boards, to incorporate in the Stock and Pastures Bill, and requesting an opinion thereon for the information of the Minister. There was also a second communication from the Chief Inspector of Stock, enclosing a paper containing a statement of complaints made by the deputation which waited upon the Minister for Mines with respect to alleged hardships which arise through the enforcement of the present regulations relating to travelling stock, together with his remarks as submitted to the Minister, and requesting the opinion of the Kiama Board for the consideration of the Minister in connection with the Stock and Pastures Bill shortly to be brought before Parliament. A resolution was passed dealing with both communications, and the secretary was directed to convey the result to the Chief Inspector of Stock. A third item of correspondence was from Mr. P. L. Smith, honorary secretary to the meeting of Stock Inspectors, held at Junee Junction on the 3rd October last, forwarding a copy of the resolutions passed at that meeting, the first of which was as follows:—"That the honorary secretary send a circular to every inspector in the colony, asking him to induce the chairman of the Board of Sheep Directors to call a meeting of the board to consider the resolution passed by the Carcoar Pastures Board on the 19th September, 1888, and to recommend the Hon. the Minister, through the Chief Inspector of Stock, the justice of each inspector being allowed a yearly sum to recoup him for the necessary expense incurred while travelling on duty in his district and providing forage for his horses, each inspector, as a rule, having to keep two horses to enable him to carry out his duties." Second: "That the amount to be asked as allowance for travelling expenses and forage be left to the boards to determine, and recommend the boards to determine and recommend to the Minister for Mines." The Kiama Board was of opinion that before any expression of opinion on this matter can be given, it should be in possession of certain information respecting the remuneration which the inspectors receive, the extent of their districts, &c., and a resolution was passed directing the secretary to obtain information about those matters. It was reported that Mr. James Monaghan, of Nowra, and Mr. George M'Phail, of Dapto, had consented to act as scalp-receivers at those places.

## *PROBABLE RESIGNATION OF MR. W. W. DAVIS, M.L.A.*

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

BOURKE, Tuesday.

Mr. W. W. Davis, junior member for Bourke, declares his intention of resigning his seat shortly. A great battle is expected to ensue between the freetraders and protectionists. The latter, judging by the past elections, are in the majority.

*DRY IMPERIAL CHAMPAGNE.*

Messrs. Moet and Chandon are the largest vineyard proprietors and champagne producers in the world. Their dry imperial 1884 vintage is the pure juice of selected grapes from their own vineyards of 2500 acres, in the choicest districts in France. It can now be obtained through any wine merchant in Australia. The Imperial Crown is in each corner of the label, and 1884 branded on cork and label.—[Advt.]

## *COUNTRY NEWS.*

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondents.)

ALBURY, Tuesday.

The mail train from Sydney arrived three hours late, owing to some of the carriages having been derailed near Bowning. The passengers were forwarded to Melbourne by special train, the ordinary having left.

Another stockowner was proceeded against to-day for introducing Victorian sheep without giving 48 hours' notice to the local inspector. A fine of £3 was imposed. The Bench are likely to make the fine heavier if the offence should be repeated.

BOURKE, Tuesday.

On Sunday night a fire broke out in a store at Enngonia. A large conflagration was narrowly averted. The damage done amounted to £300, and is covered by insurance.

The river at Bourke is 22ft. 6in., falling. The upper river reports show another rise coming down.

CAMDEN, Tuesday.

The Railway Commissioners are proceeding to erect a carriage dock in Camden, despite the protest made by the local council to the Colonial Secretary against one. A platform and other improvements asked for are more urgently needed. An indignation meeting will probably be held.

Old settlers say the present winter is the best experienced for the last 40 years.

DUBBO, Tuesday.

The Quarter Sessions were opened here this morning before Judge Docker, Mr. Harris being Crown Prosecutor. The calendar is very light. The District Court will commence on Monday.

FORBES, Tuesday.

At the Police Court this morning, Mr. E. A. L. Sharpe, the police magistrate, was summoned by the municipal inspector of nuisances for tying up his horse in the streets to a street-post. The court was crowded, and great interest was apparently manifested in the case. It transpired in the evidence that the municipal council had at their own cost erected similar posts opposite the post and Telegraph Office for the convenience of the public, and had also granted the erection of similar posts elsewhere. The Bench unanimously dismissed the case, stating that they considered the charge a most frivolous and vexatious one, and said that in erecting horse-posts in the streets for the use of the public the council were parties to an act which they now sought to characterise as a municipal offence.

The weather to-day was fine and clear, with few signs of rain.

GOULBURN, Tuesday.

At a meeting of the local branch of the Free-trade Association this evening, it was decided to affiliate with the Free-trade and Liberal Association. Messrs. W. R. Riley and F. O. Turner were appointed representatives to the conference. Messrs. F. O. Turner and R. H. Clifford were elected to represent the branch on the council.

GUNDAGAI, Tuesday.

The Hon. James Fletcher, ex-Minister for Mines, is announced to speak here on Thursday night on protection, under the auspices of the local union.

The rights in connection with the Gundagai Coursing Club meeting next week realised £28. The club decided to hold a ball on the 8th August. The recent ball in aid of the hospital funds realised £93 5s. 6d.

GUNNEDAH, Tuesday.

Beautiful weather is prevailing. A number of visitors have gone to the Narrabri show. There are loud complaints at the scant railway accommodation.

The Melally Plain road is almost impassable, consequently the Coonabarabran traffic is greatly impeded, resulting in serious loss to the goods and passenger traffic. Efforts are being made for a direct mail coach from Gunnedah to Coonamble, owing to the inconvenient railway time-table. The coach from Tamworth to Gunnedah is likely to secure a large proportion of passengers.

The Gunnedah coal mines are attracting much attention.

The necessity of a direct stock route from the Castlereagh, via Gunnedah to New England, is apparent.

Shearing will soon start. The lambing reports in many places are very satisfactory. A majority of stations will oppose the Shearers' Union. Many sheds have full boards under the station agreement.

KIAMA, Tuesday.

A Court for the hearing of appeals against the late assessment in the Municipal District of Gerrigong was held in the Court House, Kiama, to-day. There were five appellants, one of whom did not appear. The Fox Ground Dairy Company obtained a reduction of £10 on their butter factory, but the other appeals were dismissed and the valuations confirmed.

The Licensing Bench to-day dealt with the application of Mr. John Honey for a conditional license for a new hotel which he contemplated building at Gerringong, and which will contain 26 rooms. There being no objections on the part of the police or of the residents, the application was granted by the Police Magistrate, and Mr. M. N. Hindmarsh, who constituted the Bench.

The Mayor of Kiama to-day received a telegram announcing that Wednesday, the 21st August, has been proclaimed a public holiday in this district, the occasion being the holding of the second show of the Kiama Poultry Society.

The rainfall in this district from the 1st to the 27th of the present month was 809 points. The weather is now delightful, and even at the present time there are indications of spring. The soil having been thoroughly saturated within the past few months, the farmers are looking forward to a splendid spring season during the next few weeks.

Mr. M'Gillycuddy, of the Harbours and Rivers Department at Wollongong, has signified his intention of visiting Kiama to-morrow morning in connection with the corporation tramway, about which a deputation from the Kiama Municipal Council interviewed the Minister for Works last week. The visit of this officer is to ascertain whether the rails can be utilised for any Government railway works.

MURRURUNDI, Tuesday.

The pastoral and agricultural show here next week promises to be most successful. The sheep classes are very well filled by local representative sheep-breeders. Three hundred and seven stud sheep will be on the ground, and the exhibits in the other classes will maintain the reputation of the district.

SINGLETON, Tuesday.

Mr. L. M'Gowan was elected unopposed to-day to the seat for South Singleton in the council, vacant by the death of the late Mayor, Mr. Millard. Another nomination was rejected on the ground that the person named was not on the municipal roll. This decision will probably be tested legally.

WAGGA, Tuesday.

At the adjourned meeting of the proposed Wagga Farmers' Union, a committee was appointed, consisting of Messrs. Peadon, Norman, Bye, Beattie, Napthali, Thomson, Mitchell, R. Graham, Pulver, Cowled, E. Graham, and Hardiman.

The Land Board yesterday disposed of a large number of of applications for conditional purchases, leases, and extension of time for fencing.

It has been determined to enlarge the Presentation Convent in order to provide accommodation for boarding pupils.

WILCANNIA, Tuesday.

The steamer Success has arrived up stream. Menindie reports the arrival of the Murrumbidgee from Wilcannia, and the Emily Jane from Wentworth. The Undaunted and Cato passed Pooncarie up stream yesterday. The pilot left Wentworth for Morgan yesterday.

To-day's river reports are:—Mungindie, 18ft. 6in., falling; Mogil, 21ft., rising; Barwon, 30ft. 10in., rising; Namoi, 22ft. rising; Bourke, 22ft. 6in. falling; Louth, 29ft. 8in. falling; Tilpa, 31ft. 6in. stationary; Wilcannia, 29ft., rising slowly.

Tibooburra reports that the weather is keeping fine, with frosty nights. Stock of all kinds are in good condition. Herbage is plentiful everywhere. Shearing has commenced at one or two sheds, and will become general next week.

Miss Mary Anderson, our beautiful cousin, is good enough to say of PEARS' SOAP: "I have used it for two years with the greatest satisfaction, for I find it the very best." Pears' Soap for toilet and nursery. Specially prepared for the delicate skin of ladies and children.—[Advt.]

## *SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.*

### THE TURF.

The management of the Liverpool Turf Club open their gates for an afternoon's racing on the old racecourse to-day, and the five-event programme arranged for the occasion promises to provide interesting sport. The railway arrangements are fully set forth in our business columns.

Niagara and Knight Templar were withdrawn from the A. J. C. Metropolitan Stakes yesterday.

At Mr. Garling's sale of blood stock yesterday the only one that changed hands was the mare Laverna, by Python from La Vendetta, who fell to Mr. Holt's bid of 24 guineas; the others, including the horses in the estate of the late Mr. S. W. Knight, were passed in, having failed to reach the reserve figures.

Owners and trainers are reminded that nominations for the Hawkesbury Guineas, 1890, close to-morrow at 4 p.m. with the secretary, Mr. C. S. Guest, Richmond; but metropolitan sportsmen who intend to nominate at the office of the A. J. C. will require to do so before 4 p.m. to-day, as the office will be closed to-morrow.

By reference to our business columns it will be seen that tenders for the asphalt flooring at the St. Leger stand, Randwick, must be lodged with the secretary of the A. J. C. by 4 p.m. to-day.

To-morrow will be the general birthday of all Australian bred horses, and now yearlings will then be two-year-olds, and two-year-olds three, &c.

The Richmond River Turf Club's annual meeting, which commences to-morrow, and will be continued and concluded on Friday, promises to be the most successful ever held in that district.

Those interested should bear in mind that the first forfeits in connection with the H. R. C. County Purse and Grand Handicap fall due to-morrow, and all horses left in after 4 p.m. will incur the usual liability.

The training-boxes on the Newcastle course suffered some damage by last Friday morning's storm, which lifted the roofs off 14 of the stalls, and carried the material right over the fence of the saddling-paddock on to the exercising-track.

It is understood that the Clarence River Jockey Club cleared £200 by their annual meeting.

Mr. T. H. Smith has sold the racehorse Aulus, by Captivator from Amethyst, to Mr. J. Walker, of South Grafton; but the price has not transpired.

Conceit has been struck out of the H. R. C. County Purse; Knight Templar has been eliminated from the County Purse and Grand Handicap; and Aberdeen from the Grand Handicap.

A four-year-old colt, by Musket from Madcap, has been purchased in New Zealand, for 150 guineas, by a breeder residing in the neighbourhood of Casino, Richmond River district, where it is more than probable he will be put to stud duty. Referring to the purchase, a New Zealand sporting writer says: "The colt is rising 4 years old, but has not yet been put in training, and I very much doubt his standing a preparation should his new owner elect to start him on a turf career."

Late sporting files from New Zealand record the steeplechase meeting of the Wellington Racing Club, held on the 15th July, when fine weather prevailed, and the attendance, which included the Governor and party, was fair. Defamed, by Opawa, 11st., secured the Trial Steeplechase Handicap, 2 miles, from a field of half a score: the Handicap Hurdle Race, 1¾ mile, fell to Louis, by Louis d'Or, from Norah, 10st. 4lb., who defeated eight competitors, including Chemist, Rossiter, Orient, and Panic. Repose, by Apremont, from Hammock, 8st. 7lb., won the Flying Handicap, 6 furlongs, from a field of 10 in 1 minute 20 3-5 seconds. The Wellington Steeplechase, 3 miles, brought out a dozen jumpers, and Rossiter, a gelding by Izaak Walton, with 9st. 3lb. in the saddle, came home in a canter, half a dozen lengths clear from Kangaroo, 10st. 10lb., who was followed by Panic, 9st. 5lb.; Reputation, by Guerilla, carried 8st. 12lb. to the front in the Selling Hurdles. And the Winter Handicap, 1¼ mile, was annexed by Rewarewa, by Hippocampus, who carried 7st., and beat Strenuous by three lengths, in 2 minutes 19¼ seconds.

The Singleton Jockey Club have decided to hold their annual race meeting on October 10 and 11, and have framed a liberal programme for the occasion, with five events to be decided each day, the principal of which are the Singleton Handicap of 70 sovs., and the J. C. Handicap of 100 sovs., while the total amount of the added money is £325.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondents.)

### MOONEE VALLEY RACES.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

A race meeting was held at Moonee Valley to-day. The weather was fine, and there was a large attendance. The racing was good. The following are the results:—

Two-year-old Handicap—5 furlongs.

Mr. J. I. Saqui's St. George, 7st. 7lb. (Maybin) ... ... 1
Mr. M. Jacob's Christopher, 7st. (Fountain) ... ... 2
Mr. F. S. Luttrell's Lillithe, 7st. 10lb. (Osborne) ... ... 3

Iris, Clinker, and Laurel also started.

Betting: 2 to 1 v. Iris, 5 to 2 v. St. George, 4 to 1 Christopher, 5 to 1 v. Lillithe.

Won in a canter by three lengths, Lillithe a bad third. Time, 1 minute 6¼ seconds.

Selling Hurdle Race—1½ miles.

Mr. G. Hill's Invincible 10st. (Jamieson) ... ... ... 1
Mr. T. Cumming's Splinter, 9st. 9lb. (Cary) ... ... 2
Mr. H. Hoysted's Squire, 10st. (Lloyd) ... ... ... 3

Other starters: King Billy, Ace, and Maori.

Betting: 2 to 1 v. Splinter, 3 to 1 Squire.

Invincible and Splinter went the wrong course by the direction of the clerk of the course, coming home first and second, with Squire third. After inquiry the stewards ordered the race to be run over again after the other events.

The run off resulted as follows:—

Mr. E. Humphries's King Billy, 10st. 5lb. (Keating) ... 1
Mr. G. Hill's Invincible (Jamieson) ... ... ... 2
Mr. F. T. Boucher's Ace, 10st. (Newland) ... ... ... 3

Other starters: Maori and Splinter.

Betting: 5 to 4 v. Invincible, 3 to 1 v. King Billy, 4 to 1 v. Ace.

Won by three or four lengths, Ace a fair third. Time, 2 minutes 51 seconds.

Ascot Vale Handicap, 5½ furlongs.

Mr. R. Clifford's Cæsarean, 6st. 13lb. (Maybin) ... ... 1
Mr. W. M'Ivor's I Shouldn't Wonder, 8st. 10lb. (Connell) 2
Mr. J. Nicholson's Tempest, 7st. 8lb. (Smith) ... ... 3

Other starters: Winnie, Scatterfield, Coronation, Best Man, Chronograph, Ormond, Memento, Little Rosa, Haste, The Diver, and Albania.

Betting: 2 to 1 v. Cæsarean, 5 to 1 v. Haste, 6 to 1 v. I Should Not Wonder and Best Man.

Won in a canter by four lengths. Time, 1 minute 9 seconds.

Handicap Steeplechase—2 miles.

Mr. J. R. Hardiman's Sir John Moore, 11st. (Parker) ... 1
Mr. D. Yates's Bob Cooper, 9st. 12lb. (King) ... ... 2
Mr. S. Miller's Mildura, 10st. (Davis) ... ... ... 3

Other starters: Yankee Grab, Poor Lass, and Alphine.

Betting: 9 to 4 v. Poor Lass, 3 to 1 v. Sir John Moore, 5 to 1 v. Mildura.

Won by three lengths, a good third. Time, 4 minutes 15 seconds.

Selling Race—5 furlongs.

Mr. M. Jacobs's Christopher, carried 5st. 10lb. (Fountain) 1
Mr. E. B. Luttrel's St. Albert, carried 6st. 11lb. (Osborne) 2
Mr. T. Sampson's Mitchell, 7st. 2lb. (Dundon) ... ... 3

Rhetorician also ran.

Betting: 5 to 4 v. St. Albert, 3 to 1 v. Mitchell, 6 to 1 v. Christopher.

Won by a length, Mitchell a bad third. Time, 1 minute 6 seconds.

Oaklands Handicap.

Mr. M. P. Whitty's Vascosa, 7st. 9lb. (Power) ... ... 1
Mr. W. A. Filgate's Darkness, 6st. 13lb. (Osborne) ... 2
Mr. H. Hoysted's Hortense II., 6st. 12lb. (Hoysted) ... 3

Other starters: Lady Barton, Paikakariki, Tempest, Grandee, Lillithe, Crown Jewel, Lancaster.

Betting: 2 to 1 v. Paikakariki, 4 to 1 v. Darkness, 5 to 1 v. Grandee, 6 to 1 v. Vascosa, 8 to 1 v. Crown Jewel.

Won by a couple of lengths, Hortense II. a good third. Time, 1 minute 54¼ seconds.

### QEEENSLAND TURF CLUB.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The annual meeting of the Queensland Turf Club was held to-day. The report and statement of accounts were adopted after some discussion. Mr. John Stevenson and Mr. Virgil Power were re-elected president and vice-president respectively.

### NARRABRI RACES.

NARRABRI, Tuesday.

The races to-day were well attended. The weather was fine and warm. The course was heavy, and the time was generally very slow. In the Hurdle Race there was no contest, three out of the four horses entered being scratched; Plover consequently walked over. There was very little betting. The following are the results:—

Hurdle Race.—Plover walked over.

Show Handicap.—Kicking Strap, 1; Norman, 2; Gostwyck, 3.

Trial Stakes.—A. G. Taylor, 1; Stranger, 2; Arato, 3.

Midwinter Handicap.—Wait Awhile, 1; Moleskin, 2; Gostwyck, 3.

Ladies' Bag.—Councillor, 1; Norman and Wait Awhile dead heat for second place.

President's Handicap.—Kicking Strap, 1; Moleskin, 2; Gostwyck, 3.

### COURSING AT COOTAMUNDRA.

COOTAMUNDRA, Tuesday.

The third and chief coursing meeting of the year was opened to-day with fine weather. There were numerous entries. The results are as follow:—

Cup.

Forget Me Not beat Pigleaf
Beatrix beat Oughterside
Playful Sal beat True Blue
Niagara beat Charlie
Brummy beat Ruby the Second
Brisbane Grove beat Student
Bowler beat Riot the Second
Hard Cash beat Nick of the Woods
Black Demon beat Tattoo
Keepsake beat Lady Carrington
Ruby beat Waterford
Albatross beat Parthena
Bridget beat Firefly
Livingstone beat Barbelle
Phillina beat Hedly
Venture beat Jess
Disturbance beat Lady Chester.

St. Leger.

Gladys beat Stormer
Jenny Lind beat Delight
Bullion beat Milford
Defiance beat Batsworth
Lonsdale beat Misty
Patti beat Mickey Free
Daily News beat Blue Gown
Hortense beat Idol the Second
Dorothy beat All Gold
Molester beat Bishop
Snowdrift beat Black Mary
Lawyatte beat Madam
Minnie beat Dusk.

Selling Stake.

Traducer beat Bonthorne
T. B. beat Baal Gammon
Kenneth beat Balmasque
Orphan Lass beat High Flyer
Felon beat Beppo
Wap Wee beat Titmouse
Belle Brandon beat Hawarden
Solitude beat Bosco.

Cup.

First Ties.

Forget-Me-Not beat Beatrix
Playful Sal beat Niagara
Brisbane Grove beat Brummy
Hard Cash beat Bowler
Black Demon beat Keepsake
Ruby beat Bridget
Livingstone beat Albatross
Phillina beat Venture
Disturbance a bye.

### COURSING.

Entries for the N. S. W. Waterloo Cup and Leger close at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

### FOOTBALL.

A match was played on Saturday last between the Ardsley F. C. and Young Surrey F. C., the result being a win for the former by eight points to 0. For the winners Sloss, W. Wright, and Gregory played best, the latter scoring one of the tries, and converting the other into a goal. For the Surreys, Copp, Leslie, and Reever worked hard.

The following 16 Juniors have been selected to play against the Western District team on Thursday:—Back, Brown (Wentworth); halves, Bryant (Eurotah), Bruce (Artillery), Sinclair (Pirates); quarters, Simpson and Maiden (Petersham), Dadswell (Eurotah); forwards, Webb (Pirates), Lister (Petersham), Clarkson, H. Garland, and H. Hellyer (Oxford), Wiseheart (Manly), G. Slade (Redfern), Forrest (Artillery), Mockler (Glebe Wellington). Emergencies: Back, Gore (Artillery); forwards, Nelson (Petersham) and Green (Artillery).

The fortnightly meeting of the New South Wales Football Association was held on Monday evening, at Messrs. Levy and Scott's rooms. There were present Messrs. Hynes (chairman), Butler, Arthur, Holdsworth, Neate, Buckley, Hume, M'Lachlan, Sullivan, Cocks, M'Namee (hon. treasurer), and Richardson (hon. secretary). A protest for several reasons was received from the West Sydney club against the match East Sydney v. West Sydney being declared a drawn game. At the request of the West Sydney delegate, however, his club was allowed to withdraw the protest. A proposal on the part of the Wallsend club to bring down a representative team to play a Sydney combined team on August 24th was not entertained. It was decided that the following Flanagan Cup matches be played on the Agricultural Ground:—August 3rd, Waratah v. West Sydney; 10th, Sydney v. Waratah; 17th, East Sydney v. Sydney; 24th, West Sydney v. East Sydney.

Eurotah and Oxford met for the second time this season on Saturday on the former's ground. Eurotahs kicked off against the wind, and up to half-time, though the play was fast and moderately open, no scores were made. Shortly after half-time Howe, of the Eurotahs, commenced the scores by kicking a goal from the field, and both sides then succeeded in obtaining two tries, the match ending in a victory for the Eurotahs by 10 points to 6. Howe, Dadswell, Hicks, Bryant, Sedgwick, and Bruce (for the Eurotahs), and Druce, Mungan, T. Hillyer, Clarkson (for the Oxfords) were most prominent during the game.

### PEDESTRIANISM.

Edwards' Leichhardt Sheffield Handicap will be run off to-day, commencing at 3 o'clock.

### CARRINGTON HANDICAP.

The running in the Carrington 75 yards Handicap was concluded on Tuesday night, the result being an easy win for H. Miller, off the six yards mark in 7 3-10 seconds. Miller and Riley were both well supported to win the handicap, but when they met in the third round Miller beat his opponent very easily. Miller was a strong favourite in the final, and started at 3 to 1 on. The following are the details of the various heats:—

Second Round.

First Heat.—R. Stokes 9 yards, 1. Other starters: E. Eagles 7½, J. Westwood 8½. Won by a breast. Time, 7¼ seconds.

Second Heat.—A. Morgan, 5 yards, 1. Other starters: W. Bartlett 8, L. Hope 8½. Won by six inches. Time, 7¼ seconds.

Third Heat.—H. Miller, 6 yards, 1. Other starters: T. Collins 9, C. Banks 7. Won by a foot. Time, 7 3-5 seconds.

Fourth Heat.—J. P. Byrne, 8½ yards, 1. Other starters: J. J. Delaney 8, W. W. Willey 7½. Won by three inches. Time, 7½ seconds.

Fifth Heat.—J. Harrison, 6½ yards, 1. Other starters: T. Pringle 7½, G. Bowen 6½. Won by nine inches. Time, 7½ seconds.

Sixth Heat.—W. Neilson, 8½ yards, 1. Other starters: E. Penno 9¼, J. Morris 6½. Won by a few inches. Time, 7 3-5 seconds.

Seventh Heat.—W. Brock, 7½ yards, 1. Other starter: C. Horder 9. Won by half a yard. Time, 7 3-5 seconds.

Eighth Heat.—W. Riley, 9½ yards, 1. Other starter: E. A. Martineer 6½. Won by a yard. Time, 7 2-5 seconds.

Third Round.

First Heat.—R. Stokes, 9 yards, 1. Other starter: W. Brock 7½. Time, 8 seconds. Brock fell at the start.

Second Heat.—H. Miller, 6 yards, 1. Other starter: W. Riley 9½. Won by a yard and a half. Time, 7 2-5 seconds.

Third Heat.—J. P. Byrne, 8½ yards, 1. Other starter: A. Morgan 5. Won by 2ft. Time, 7 3-5 seconds.

Fourth Heat.—J. Harrison, 6½ yards, 1. Other starter: W. Neilson 8½. Won by 4ft. Time, 7 3-5 seconds.

Final Heat.—H. Miller, 6 yards, 1; J. P. Byrne, 8½ yards, 2; J. Harrison, 6½ yards, 3; R. Stokes, 9 yards, 4. Won by a yard and a half. Time, 7 3-10 seconds. Betting: 3 to 1 on Miller, 4 to 1 v. Byrne, 10 to 1 bar two.

### SIR JOSEPH BANKS HANDICAP.

The following are the nominations and starts for the Sir Joseph Banks £100 Handicap, to be run on Monday and Wednesday next:—

J. M'Garrigal, 50 yards; Joe Price, 51; W. Clark, 52; W. H. Williams, J. Brewer, J. H. King, C. E. Warn, H. J. Harris, R. Fairweather, 52½; W. Pearson, S. Donovan, L. A. Cassimer, A. Morgan, J. A. Parker, E. Sutton, 53; D. Braithwaite, A. Trinder, E. A. Martineer, D. H. Bushell, T. J. Griffiths, 53½; W. E. Quick, D. Hart, R. Clarke, R. R. Williams, J. J. Moore, F. Kingsmill, Bob Walker, H. Miller, 54; T. M. Malone, J. H. Wilkinson, P. E. Maxwell, G. Smith (Moss Vale), H. Murray, T. Liddle, J. Atkinson, W. Moore, J. Butler, C. M'Gilvery, 54½; C. Lindon, J. F. Lyons, James W. Byrne, W. S. Moxley, 55; J. Furlong, W. Wright, J. Harrison, T. Little (a), E. Lazarus, G. N. Warn, E. R. Byrchall, C. Hall, Bob M'Donald, W. Love, W. Read, G. Bowen, J. Logan, 55½; E. Egles, P. J. Macnamara, J. Burt, L. A. Hoelscher, T. G. Agnew, J. Goodliff, C. Banks, W. Brock, A. M'Grory, A. Smith, J. M. Yates, C. M. West, J. F. Small, C. E. Merchant, W. J. Evans, 56; J. Sullivan, T. Pringle, W. Bartlett, W. H. Mason, B. J. Carmody, M. Mullins, G. R. Black, J. Malone, F. W. M'Knight, S. Robertson, C. J. Garner (a), T. Budd, W. A. Gray, G. Kemp, W. Potter, A. R. Hume, C. Kappler, W. W. Morris, C. E. Armstrong, Joe Morris, 56½; M. V. Morrissey, J. F. Byrne, H. Kennedy, Joe W. Byrne, C. W. Phillips, W. Curtin, M. J. Solomon, W. Leonard, M. J. Learhinan, R. Stevens, H. Foy, C. Bellette, A. J. Worthington, W. Willey, H. A. Walker, A. Wall, J. F. Byrne, W. Black, M. J. Monnock, P. J. Crotty, 57; J. Baker, W. H. Phillips, C. Morath, C. M'Farlane, T. Geddes, W. Hibburd, L. Hope, W. Neilson, J. Westwood, A. Cox, T. Bishop, P. Doyle, F. Wain, W. C. Allen, J. J. Delaney, 57½; R. Stokes, N. Campbell, D. Costello, H. Samuels, W. Riley, M. Cooney, O. J. Cooney, T. K. Bond, R. L. Walker, D. Jackson, P. E. Soper, T. Hayes, A. Pritchard, F. Casburn, L. Burns, E. Evans, F. Biffin, W. Merrick, J. Fletcher, R. W. Turner, W. Etherington, H. Sims, C. Horder, J. Pickering, S. Sinclair, 58; T. Prince, T. W. Meaney, H. S. Thompson, M. G. Houston, W. H. Foley, T. E. M'Auliffe, W. E. Jackson, H. Purtehouse, 58½; H. J. Parker, P. Herbert, C. A. Dunn, J. Forbes, E. Penno, H. N. Flockton, G. Smith (Summer Hill), J. Dooley, J. West, J. Sharpe, T. Collins, J. Monaghan, G. Gardner, A. T. Gorman, 59.

Acceptances close on Friday night at the Burrangong Hotel.

### COMBINED RACE MEETING.

The Speedwell Bicycle Club and Sydney Harriers have included in their programme a 2-miles Inter-Club Race, open to all cycling clubs in New South Wales, two men to represent each club, first two of any club past the post to win. The prizes consist of a very handsome silver cup, to go to the successful club, and a gold medal, given by the race meeting to each of the successful competitors.

### CYCLING.

The half-yearly meeting of the St. Leonards Bicycle Club was held in the Union-street schoolroom on Thursday evening. The main business was the election of officers, the following being appointed:—Captain, W. Ives; sub-captain, H. Wilson; bugler, P. Pearson; secretary, A. C. Rowlandson; treasurer, F. Ives; committeemen, W. Squiers and F. Moor. Some talk took place with regard to the action of the North Shore Ferry Company, in prohibiting the taking of bicycles across in the passenger boats, thereby causing great inconvenience to many cyclists. No action was arrived at. The club was reported to be in a flourishing condition, with 20 active members. A road race is projected to take place about the middle of August.

### LAWN TENNIS.

On Saturday last the A teams of the Stanmore and Balmain Clubs met on Mr. Lake's court. The result of the match was a tie, as under:—

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| Dowler and Lake v. Dean and Waugh ... ... | 6-6 |
| Dowler and Lake v. Dean and Waugh ... ... | 6-1 |
| Dowler and Lake v. Watson and Brewer ... ... | 1-6 |
| Dowler and Lake v. Watson and Brewer ... ... | 4-4 |
| Deuchar and Russell v. Dean and Waugh ... ... | 6-4 |
| Deuchar and Russell v. Watson and Brewer ... ... | 6-4 |
| Deuchar and Russell v. Watson and Brewer... ... | 4-6 |

Results: Stanmore, 3 sets, 35 games; Balmain, 3 sets, 35 games.

### ASSOCIATION CRICKET GROUND.

The following important fixtures have been arranged to take place upon the abovementioned ground, viz.:—August 1st, 3rd, and 5th—Western Districts v. Rugby Union Team; August 10th—Sydney Harriers and Speedwell Bicycle Clubs; August 17th—University A. A. Club sports; August 24th—New South Wales Lacrosse Association; August 31st—New South Wales Cyclists' Union Meeting; September 7th—Sydney Bicycle Club Meeting; September 14th—Sydney Grammar School sports. At many of these sports meetings there are promises of several prominent athletes from Queensland and Victoria taking part, and we understand that efforts are also being made to procure the visit of an intercolonial team of baseball players from Melbourne.

### PIGEON SHOOTING.

A match, with single barrels, for £100, between the noted pigeon-shooters—Messrs. L. Gannon, of Tempe, and J. Tracey, of Victoria—comes off at 2 o'clock to-day at Frankfort Park Shooting Ground. The conditions are, 50 birds each, 28 yards rise.

### CRICKET.

The Winchester C. C. held their annual meeting on Thursday evening last. The report showed that out of 35 matches played—17 were won, 5 lost, and 13 drawn. The treasurer's report also showed a very satisfactory balance. The following trophies were then awarded:—Club trophy for highest batting average, won by W. Dummett, average 20·5; the second batting trophy, presented by Mr. E. Barton, won by W. Bardsley, average 12·9. Club trophy for best bowling average, won by H. Jackson, average 4·5; second bowling trophy, presented by Mr. G. Dupain, was won by W. Weaver, average 5·7. A trophy was also presented to the secretary (Mr. G. Lees), in acknowledgment of his services. A vote of thanks was unanimously accorded to those gentlemen who had in a practical way forwarded the interests of the club, not forgetting Mr. A. Smidmore, who allowed the club to make a wicket on his ground.

## *SHIPPING REPORTS, &c.*

Custom House.—Entered Outwards: July 30, Tenterden (s.), 867 tons, Captain D. Calder, for Noumea and Fiji; Mount Kembla (s.), 494 tons, Captain L. Le Guay, for Geelong; Eveline, ketch, 67 tons, Captain G. M. Rapp, for Melbourne; Silver Cloud, schooner, 231 tons, Captain T. A. Fry, for Auckland, via Newcastle; Fiado (s.), 640 tons, Captain E. Laycock, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; Burrumbeet (s.), 1361 tons, Captain G. Tait, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

The New Zealand Shipping Company's ship Opawa, Captain Hamon, London to Lyttelton, when in 42° S. 35° E., experienced a gale, during which the vessel shipped large quantities of water, and on June 6 the port lifeboat was washed overboard and lost. The boat was lost at 10 p.m., and at 3 a.m. on the following day another heavy sea was shipped, and completely washed away the after deckhouse, in which the apprentice's quarters were.

The new steamer Durham, built for Money, Wigram, and Sons, is expected to come into the trade with these colonies, Captain John Mathias, formerly in the barque Hampshire, has command.

A Lyttelton shipwright, named Hempstalk, has patented a ship-raising invention, and is coming to Sydney to exhibit it.

To-morrow (August 1) being a Bank holiday, the Customhouse will be closed, but urgent business will be provided for, as usual, on notice being previously given. The Merchants' Exchange also closes, and a number of offices in the city will, as in former years, similarly observe Thursday as a holiday.

Yesterday the ship Durham was towed from the Quay to the stream. The ship Persian was also towed to moorings from Cowper Wharf; and the R.M.S. Zealandia was floated into Fitzroy Dock, to be cleaned and painted.

The steamer Kameruka, Captain S. Bishop, from Bateman's Bay and Ulladulla, brought the following cargo:—56 cases cheese, 308 pieces hardwood, 20 bags maize, 50 bags bark, 20 bags seed, 40 pigs, 8 calves, 40 kegs butter, 20 cases eggs, and sundries.

A small steamer passed Port Stephens at 5 p.m. yesterday bound north. She was probably the Woolwich, bound from Sydney to Brisbane.

A barque passed Jervis Bay yesterday at 3.20 p.m. She was flying signal letters PARN.

The steamer Genista, recently purchased by a Melbourne buyer, passed Gabo Island at 5.5 p.m. yesterday.

At Adelaide the Adelaide Dock Company, at their annual meeting, reported that extensive dredging operations had been carried on, by which a uniform depth of 18ft. had been secured for the whole length of the channel and 80ft. wide, and some obstructions that had existed had also been removed. The entrance to the dock and quay berths to a width of 50ft. and a length of 650ft. on the south and 315 on the north side of the dock had also been deepened to 22ft. at low water, thus giving berthing accommodation to vessels of the deepest draught that come up to the port. These works had been long contemplated, and had been very necessary, the channel having in places been previously reduced by silting and other causes to 14ft.

Puget Sound freights are reported as follows:—There has been a number of orders in the market, for nearly all of which vessels have been secured at 60s. Melbourne and 50s. Sydney, one vessel getting 62s 6d for Melbourne, with Brisbane option at 60s. Rates are even firmer now, with a prospect of business resulting at 60s Hobson's Bay, and 65s Melbourne wharf.

The death of an old and prominent shipmaster at Port Adelaide—Captain William Begg—is announced. Captain Begg commenced his career as a shipmaster no less than 44 years ago, when he was appointed to the command of a vessel trading to the Baltic. In 1855 he went on the Indian berth, and two years later made his first voyage to South Australia. In 1863 he was appointed to the Coonatto, a vessel then just built for the Orient line, and which was at that time considered to be one of the finest sailing ships afloat. He remained in charge of this vessel till 1866, when he was transferred to another well-known clipper, The Murray, in which he continued until 1868. Soon after this he determined to settle down in Australia, and was appointed manager of the Adelaide Steamtug Company. His intimate knowledge of the construction of ships and his experience as a master gained him the position of Lloyds' surveyor, and he remained the South Australian representative of the London Lloyds till his death.

The s.s. Fiado left Adelaide at 4 p.m. on the 25th instant, passed Cape Otway on the 28th instant at 1 p.m., Gabo Island at 2.50 a.m. on the 29th, and entered the Heads at 8 a.m. on the 30th instant. Experienced light and variable winds and smooth sea to Cape Willoughby, thence to Cape Nelson light to moderate north to N.W. winds and heavy southerly swell; Cape Nelson to Wilson's Promontory moderate to fresh northerly winds, thence to Cape St. George moderate N. to N.E. winds and moderate N.E. swell, with light westerly winds to port.

The Coraki (s.), crossed the Richmond River bar at 7.30 a.m. on the 28th instant, and arrived in Sydney at 8 a.m. on the 30th. Experienced fresh southerly wind and sea to Smoky Cape. Light variable winds and fine weather thence to arrival. Cargo: 29 cedar logs, 3000ft. sawn cedar, 10,000ft. hardwood, 186 bags maize, 33 bags potatoes, 35 cases eggs, 6 coops poultry, 142 kegs butter, 25 hides, 77 pigs, and sundries.

The steamer Wellington crossed the Port Macquarie bar at 9.30 a.m. on the 29th instant, and arrived in port at 4 a.m. on the 30th. Experienced light westerly winds and fine weather throughout the passage. Cargo: 542 bags maize, 11 hides, 26 pigs, 2 coops poultry, 9 cases eggs, 8 baskets fish, 2 horses, and sundries.

The steamer Hauroto left Wellington for Sydney at 2 p.m. yesterday; and the Bothwell Castle, sailed from Lyttelton, at 8 p.m.

The late marine superintendent at Townsville for Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Company, Captain T. L. Grainger, has lately passed the necessary examination before the Marine Board of New South Wales to enable him to carry on the business of marine surveyor at this port.

### MAIL STEAMERS.

The M. M. Company's steamer Yarra, hence to Marseilles, via ports, arrived at Adelaide from Melbourne, at 2 a.m. yesterday. She continued her voyage at 5.30 p.m.

The N. G. Lloyds' steamer Nurnberg, inward from Bremen, passed Cape Borda at 3.30 p.m. yesterday. All well, midnight should see her at Adelaide.

The R.M.S. Carthage arrived at Suez on the afternoon of the 29th. The Salazie passed Port Said on the 27th, homewards.

### STATE OF THE BAR HARBOURS.

The following messages were received by the President of the Marine Board and posted at the Merchants' Exchange yesterday:—

Macleay River.—The bar has removed north about 200 yards from the old channel. Soundings on Monday gave 7ft. at high water.

Cape Hawke.—Sounded Monday morning and found 5ft. on the bar. There is a ridge formed inside the bar with only 4ft. on it at high water. There are five vessels barbound, and the steamer Emma Fyers outside. A message received later says:—"A fresh channel opened out more to the southward last Monday evening, with 8ft. of water in it."

Port Macquarie.—6ft. 3in. on the bar at high water yesterday (Tuesday) morning.

Crookhaven Heads.—9ft. 6in. on the bar to-day (Tuesday), at high water.

Manning River.—Soundings taken on Monday showed 9ft. of water on the bar; no alteration had taken place since last soundings. The beacons on the beach lead straight in.

Camden Haven.—8ft. of water on the bar at high water on Monday morning.

### THE CHINGTU.

After making Melbourne her first port of call from Hongkong, owing to the bulk of her sugar cargo being for that port this trip, the China Navigation Company's steamer Chingtu has come on to this port, and will make a very brief stay here, indeed. Her destination hence is back to Hongkong direct, and she is appointed to leave on Saturday next. She left Hongkong on the 29th June, arriving in Mandora Straits on the 1st instant, at 10 p.m. She crossed the equator on the 5th instant, at 10 a.m. The weather had been very fine, but then it commenced to be squally, with heavy rain. On the 6th instant very strong winds from the S.E. set in, with blinding rain, for 30 hours. A moderate S.E. gale, with heavy head sea, was then encountered until passing Thursday Island. Inside the Barrier Reef the wind was very strong from S.E., with a short choppy sea. She passed Cooktown on the 12th instant, at 5 p.m., and cleared Whitsunday Passage on the 14th at 6 a.m. Thence down the coast she was in a furious gale, particulars of which have appeared in these columns. She arrived in Melbourne on the 22nd current, having passed here two days previously. Discharged cargo there, and left Melbourne at 6 a.m. on the 28th, and had light variable winds and heavy swell till the night of the 29th, then light S.W. winds to arrival at Heads at 9.30 a.m. on the 30th.

### NEWCASTLE SHIPPING.

The Wandering Jew, 1856 tons, Captain D. C. Nichols, is on her way to Melbourne from Newcastle; the Marabout, 1495 tons, Captain P. L. Ferguson; Falls of Foyers, 1917 tons, Captain F. C. Nilson, have cleared at Melbourne for Newcastle. The following vessels at present at Melbourne are to load at Newcastle:—B. P. Cheney, Captain Humphrey, 1257 tons; Columbus, Captain Haeslop, 1430 tons; Detroit, Captain M'Allep, 1438 tons; Eugenie, Captain Foley, 699 tons; Hugo, Captain Stevvor, 1507 tons; Sokoto, Captain Cross, 2193 tons.

### PILOTS AT MELBOURNE.

Alterations as to the requisite qualifications of a candidate for the position of pilot at Port Phillip have lately been effected. At a meeting of the Victorian Marine Board the other day the board rescinded one of its regulations dealing with the appointment of pilots. It was felt that the regulations unduly restricted the field from which a choice could be made when a new pilot was required, inasmuch as preference would be given to applicants who were able to submit documentary evidence of recent and lengthened service as master of a square-rigged sailing vessel or of a sea-going steamer, and many men who were thoroughly qualified, but who, perhaps, did not possess evidence of recent service or of having commanded the class of vessel referred to, were shut out. A motion was also submitted dealing with the paucity in the number of pilots, and recommending that additional men be appointed. It was carried almost without discussion, and it was subsequently decided to invite applications for two additional pilots.

### THE NEW SHIPS FOR THE AUSTRALIAN SQUADRON.

In our late cables the launching of the gunboat Whiting was announced as having taken place at Elswick, the Shah of Persia being present. The Whiting is one of the two small vessels to be used as torpedo chasers, the other being named the Wizard. Good progress, it is said, is also being made with the building of the Wizard, and also of the armoured cruisers themselves, one of which, in fact, is reported to be ready for launching. As the launch has already taken place of one of the fleet, a short reference to the new squadron may be of interest. There are to be five armoured cruisers—the Pandora, Pelorus, Persian, Phœnix, and Psyche, and in addition the two torpedo chasers already mentioned. It is about a year ago since the contracts for the building of the ships were let. Sir Wm. Armstrong and Co. are the contractors for three of the armoured cruisers, and Messrs. J. and G. Thomson, of the Clyde, for the other two. The work is under the supervision of Mr. Apsey, one of the Admiralty staff of constructors, from Chatham Dockyard. In connection with the capabilities of the new vessels, Sir W. Armstrong states that they will be able to steam 21 knots an hour, and would be of the best class of cruiser for the defence of the commerce and the coasts of Australia. The sum to be spent on these vessels is about £850,000, of which £280,000 is to be absorbed during the current year, and the remainder, £570,000, is to be spread over the three years of the contract. It is expected that the entire squadron will be complete by March, 1891.

## *THE SCIENCE AND ART OF AGRICULTURE.*

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your correspondent's letter over "One who has been there," re the Chair of Agriculture, may be very misleading, although holding much truth; and I will, with your permission, endeavour to explain, if not correct, its statements from my own point of view and experience. Professor Wallace's proposals and schemes for agricultural education are good as far as they go, and would, if adopted in New South Wales, lead to much permanent benefit; but "One who has been there" says a Chair of Agriculture would do little good to the country, and he says he knows. Whether he knows or not, it is positively certain that science without art in agriculture is lost labour, and leads to much waste of capital. Should a Chair of Agriculture be formed at the University, where some are trying to centralise all teaching, a few wealthy students would study agricultural theory, and get a day now and then on some neighbouring estate as a sort of intellectual picnic, to give colour (and colour only) to the teaching of agriculture. These occasional visits to the country would be very nice, no doubt, from a recreation point, but would be almost useless for teaching the art or practice of agriculture. These young men may imbibe a love of the science, and become expert chemists of agriculture, and talk learnedly of nitrogen, phosphorus, pentoxide, and so on; yet turned into the field to get their own living, or, in other words, to farm profitably, they would be utter failures. They may, as hundreds of college agriculturists have done, go home and commence the new style of farming, and astonish their parents with what can be done when money is plentiful, but if the balance-sheet be brought to bear upon the results, the balance will be on the wrong side. Of course, the wealthy squatter will not mind a few hundred out if his boy can astonish the natives by his fine talk and good crops, procured at a cost of £150 for every £100 worth of produce; but this kind of thing is not what the country wants. We want teaching that shall enable the student to use his brains and muscle to procure payable results—not fancy agriculture for a few wealthy persons. A gentleman in Sydney, high up in the Civil Service, told me, about two years ago, that science teaching was no good for Australian farmers, as the farmers here knew what was best; and to clench his argument, he stated that, when he was a young man, he could pass with credit an examination in theoretical agriculture; and he said that, no doubt, if he had had money, he would soon have lost it farming in Australia. Now, I don't know where this gentleman gained his knowledge of scientific farming—one of the home colleges—but his subsequent experience here convinced him that his scientific skill would have proved useless. Scientific knowledge without the practice of the art is not going to profit the colony, or give a return for any outlay that may be incurred; but if the art of farming be practised upon a scientific basis, then we shall have men turned out of farm schools who will enable the colony to stand upon her own resources, and be independent of our neighbours. There is not a single plant used in the arts or as food that will not grow in some part of New South Wales. Then, why should we import what our lands will yield, if we bring science and art to bear upon the soil—the real source of all wealth? For whom should our farm-schools exist? I say advisedly that they should be for the workers, not for the leisured classes. The workers should be taught the best way of doing the desired work, and the leisured classes, who would only play at agriculture, should be left to themselves. From the rank-and-file only can the colony benefit, and it is for the welfare of the colony as a whole that farm schools should be established. If the school be formed for the wealthy only, then a purely scientific training will be the cheapest and the most showy, as "degrees" can be given for paper examinations, which will enable the holder to put a few capital letters after his name, and pass muster to the general public as someone of note. But if solid advancement for the colony be desired, the teaching must be practical, and the pupil must be taught how to use and handle tools, as well as direct operations. He is a poor instructor or director of work who cannot take up the tool and show his subordinate how it should be done. The pupil should be turned out able to make use of the knowledge acquired. What would be thought of a theoretical architect who could not detail a plan, or an engineer who would be unable to put his ideas upon paper as a working drawing? Very little, I think; and the non-practical scientist would hold a similar position in agriculture. In fact, we do not want science with art, but art with science in matters agricultural.

Another thing against the Chair of Agriculture. The chair has not room enough in it for horses, cattle, sheep, pigs, fowls, bees, &c., all of which should be ranged up against the pupil for his especial instruction, as upon his judgment of stock very often depends the profits of his farm. The farmer, for this colony in particular, should be able to mend a wooden or iron tool—that is, he should be taught practical mechanics—fancy a theoretical blacksmith—so that in back blocks and difficult situations he could off coat and help himself. He should be an all-round man, and the only place to make him such is on the land, not in the laboratory, or in the easy chair of his study. I speak from a long experience of all sorts and conditions of farmers, from the kid gloved fox-hunting gentleman farmer at home to the hard-working toiler on the lands of New South Wales, and the worker has my sympathy. Also, as an integral portion of the colony myself, I am anxious to see New South Wales forge ahead, knowing that what will benefit the whole of the people will aid my family a part. Agricultural schools and colleges exist in numbers with the Americans, the most advancing agriculturists of the age; and what is for the benefit of these people must surely be of use to us. Again, even Professor Wallace admits that the agricultural schools of Victoria and South Australia are doing good work. Germany, France, &c., have these schools, and all these people cannot be in error.

I am, &c.,
JOHN NICHOLAS.
27th July.

## *CITY RAILWAY EXTENSION.*

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your correspondent, "J. M'Elhone," in to-day's paper is "barking up the wrong tree" in one of his paragraphs. He says:—"In Melbourne there is no railway through the city, and visitors have to use the trams or cabs to get to their hotels as they do here." Now, the G. P. O. is the centre of the city of Melbourne, and the main suburban terminus is not more than five minutes' easy walk from there. Although Melbourne has only lived half the time Sydney has, in that time the people have come to the conclusion that a railway through the city is necessary, and even while your correspondent was penning his note they are busy making the very line he urges (inferentially) they have not found necessary—namely, a connection of the terminus above referred to with that at Spencer-street, thereby creating a through city line. Therefore, Mr. M'Elhone too hurriedly raised this point. "A little knowledge is a dangerous thing."

I am, &c.,
CORNCOB.

## *THRIFT ON THE RAILWAYS.*

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Thrift is to be encouraged everywhere, but I beg to point out a saving of expense that obtains on our railways at the inconvenience of the public. On Friday evening last I had occasion to travel by the "mixed train" from Dubbo to Orange, leaving the former at 9.20. I was handed into, not a carriage, but the brake van, in which there was no light of any description, save the lamp of the guard; and as his place was in the compartment, separated from me by a partition in which there was a door which swung to, I was for the most part of the time in utter darkness—always so at a station—for when he got out he took his lamp with him. To Wellington I was alone; but there I was joined by a lady and a gentleman. They were strangers to each other, to me, and to the guard, and we all enjoyed (I mean endured) the darkness until it was dimly enlivened by the stove being lighted. What I wish to point out is that one man would be at the mercy of an unscrupulous woman who might chance to be a passenger by this train, or *vice versa*; besides there being a feeling of impropriety in male and female passengers being in the dark in one van, and all for the sake of the price of oil for one lamp. I am perfectly sure that this is not either with Mr. Eddy's acquiescence or even knowledge.

I am, &c.,
A. C. INGLE.
July 25.

## *BONDI TRAMS.*

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I am very glad to find that the residents of Bondi are at last moving in the matter of their tram service, and I have much pleasure in confirming the remarks of "Constant Reader" and "The Wanderer" in your late issues. I will not take up your space except to mention two or three instances where improvements might easily be made. Take the trams to Bondi at 5.3 and 5.50 p.m., one of the busiest parts of the day, yet at no other time between 8 a.m. and 9 p.m. is there such an interval between two trams as there is between the two mentioned. Then again the trams to Sydney at 8.9 and 8.51 a.m. Surely it should be unnecessary to leave home a few minutes past 8 to reach the city at 9, yet such is the case now. If there was a tram leaving Bondi at 8.30 a.m. it would fill up at the Tea Gardens, and could land passengers at King-street at 9 o'clock. Other trams have been mentioned by your other correspondents, and surely those in charge of affairs must see that the present timetable is utterly unsuitable to the requirements of the residents. Some weeks' ago it was announced that a tram would be run to Bondi at 11 p.m., but nothing more has been heard of the matter. Apologising for trespassing on your space,

I am, &c.,
J. GIBBS.

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## *MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.*

TUESDAY EVENING.

In the stock and share market to-day, business was quiet. Balmain Ferry were lower, others being quoted at about late rates. The following sales were reported at 1 o'clock:—A. J. S. Bank, 22½; new shares, 10½; Balmain Ferry, 17s.; Marshall's Brewery, 6s. 3d. At 4 o'clock: Marshall's Brewery, 6s. 3d.; Anglo-Australian Investment, 22s. Closing quotations were:—

| | Buyer. | Seller. | | Buyer. | Seller. |
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| BANKS. | | | | | |
| Australian J.S., ex div. | 22½ | 23 | Federal | — | 61/ |
| New, call paid | 10¼ | 10¾ | Mercantile | — | — |
| North Q'land, 70 paid | 69 | 70/ | N. S. Wales | 64 | — |
| City | 17½ | 17¾ | N.Z., Syn. reg. | — | — |
| New issue, £3 paid | — | 93/ | N.Z., N.Z. reg. | — | 7¼ |
| Commercial | — | — | Q. National | 8½ | 8¾ |
| | | | Rl. Bnk Q'l'nd | — | — |
| | | | Union | 60 | — |
| | | | Com. of Austra. | — | — |
| STEAM. | | | | | |
| Australasian | — | — | Illawarra | 7½ | — |
| Balmain Ferry | 16 6 | 17 3 | Newcastle | — | 8 6 |
| C. and R. & M'y R., 17s 6d pd. | 16/ | 17 6 | Do. Preferent | 9 6 | — |
| | | | N. S. Ferry | 35/ | 37 6 |
| Hunter River | — | 8¼ | Port Jackson | — | 40 |
| INSURANCE. | | | | | |
| General | — | 7½ | New Zealand | — | 77/ |
| Austral. Mut'l | — | — | Pacific | — | 15 |
| City Mutual | — | — | Sydney Mutual | 1/ | — |
| Mer. Mutual | 5/3 | 6 | United | 73/ | 74/ |
| New S. Wales | 4d | 6d | | | |
| GAS. | | | | | |
| Aus. Gaslight, ex div. | 13¼ | 14 | City of Goulburn | — | — |
| New issue | 6¼ | — | Manly | — | — |
| North Shore | — | 24/ | Parramatta | — | — |
| BREWERIES. | | | | | |
| Alli's | — | 11 | Great N'rthern | — | — |
| Castlemaine | — | 21 | Marshall's | 6 | 6 6 |
| C'maine and Wood Bros | 23/ | 23 6 | Perkins' | — | — |
| | | | Tooth's | 22/3 | 22/6 |
| MISCELLANEOUS. | | | | | |
| Aarons' Exch. | — | 8 3 | Hudson Bros. | — | 3 7 |
| City Carrying | 1 6 | — | Saywell's Tobacco | 8/6 | 10/ |
| Col. Sugar Refining | 10¼ | — | Shale and Oil | 1 | — |
| Emu Gravel | — | — | Syd. Cyclorama | — | — |
| H. Hayes and Co., Wagga | — | 10 | Sydney Exch. | 16 | — |
| Phillip-Stephan Photo-Litho. | — | — | Vol. Land Orders | 150 | — |
| INVESTMENT AND FINANCE, &c. | | | | | |
| Assets Realisation | — | 3 11 | Perm. Trustee | 2 9 | 3/ |
| Col. Finance | — | 2 3 | Perp. Trustee | — | — |
| Mont de Piété | — | 24 3 | Real Estate | — | 4 |
| Mort. Guaran. and M. Fin. | 5 9 | 6 | Sydney Agen. and Finance | 1 9 | 2 |
| LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES. | | | | | |
| Anglo-Austral. Investment | — | 23/ | Metropolitan | — | 5 |
| Ditto, £5 paid | — | 7 | National | — | — |
| Australian Mu. | — | — | Industrial Prov | — | — |
| C. B. and In. | — | — | N.S.W. Proper. | — | — |
| Mercantile B. | 7 | — | Syd. Freehold | — | 22/ |
| Ditto, cont. | — | 3 6 | Syd. Perm. | 34 | 36 |
| Excelsior | — | — | Syd. and Sub. | 6¼ | 6½ |
| GOVERNMENT STOCK. | | | | | |
| N.S.W. Fund'd | — | 103 | | | |

The manager of the Union Bank of Australia, Limited, has been informed by cable that at a meeting of proprietors held in London yesterday, a dividend at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum was declared, and £10,000 carried forward. The sum of £20,000 was also added to the reserve fund, making the same £1,000,000. The last half-yearly dividend was at the rate of 12 per cent.

The half-yearly meeting of the New South Wales Shale and Oil Company was held to-day, Mr. J. R. Street, M.L.A., in the chair. The report showed that the shale, oil, and coal profits amounted to £2962, miners' rents £106, previous balance £316, giving a total of £3385. After providing for charges, interest on debentures and deposits, and for bad and doubtful debts, there remained a balance of £1013. Of this the directors proposed to devote £1000 towards repayment of debentures, and to carry forward £13. The report was adopted. Resolutions for the reduction of the number of directors from five to three, and of the amount of the remuneration from £500 to £150, were confirmed. The retiring director, Mr. R. Deane, and the retiring auditor, Mr. H. B. Allard, were re-elected.

The 23rd half-yearly meeting of the Sydney Freehold Land, Building, and Investment Company was held this afternoon, Mr. John Young in the chair. The report, which was adopted, showed that the receipts for the half-year had been:—Balance standing at credit of profit and loss, 31st December, 1888, £3549; rents, £27; interest, £1661; profit on land sold, as per profit and loss account, £216; making a total of £5455. The expenditure had been:—Salaries, management, and general expenses, £566; amounts written off various accounts, £99; interest on mortgage, £1500; leaving a balance of £3289. Out of this a dividend at the rate of 15 per cent. per annum had been declared for the half-year ended 30th June, 1889, £1406; leaving a balance to credit of profit and loss, £1883.

The following meetings are advertised to be held to-morrow (Wednesday):—The half-yearly meetings of the Sydney Meat-preserving Company, and the Monte de Piete, at noon; annual meeting of the Castlemaine Brewery, at 4.15 p.m.

The annual meeting of the Sydney Chamber of Commerce is to be held to-morrow (Wednesday), at 3 p.m., to receive the report, elect committee, and transact other business.

Thursday, the 1st August, being a bank holiday in accordance with the Bank Act, the Sydney Exchange and the Stock Exchange will be closed. The Custom-house will also be shut, except for special clearances, which can be made by arrangement.

From to-day's *Government Gazette* we copy the following general abstracts, showing the average amount of the liabilities and assets of the banks named within the colony of New South Wales, taken from the several weekly statements during the quarter from the 1st April to the 30th June, 1889:—

*MERCANTILE.—Liabilities: Notes in circulation not bearing interest, £23,433 1s 7d; bills in circulation not bearing interest, £780 3s 4d; balances due to other banks and branches, £121,922 16s 11d; deposits—not bearing interest, £416,533 11s 10d; bearing interest, £1,108,523 9s 8d—£1,525,057 1s 6d; total amount of liabilities, £1,671,173 3s 4d. Assets: Coined gold and silver and other coined metals, £81,910 4s 1d; landed property, £129,532 15s 0d; notes and bills of other banks, £15,206 13s 11d; balances due from other banks, £2902 2s 10d; amount of all debts due to the bank, including notes, bills of exchange, and all stock and funded debts of every description, excepting notes, bills, and balances due to the said bank from other banks, £1,854,570 11s. 8d., including £104,616 5s., average amount of New South Wales Government debentures: total amount of assets, £2,084,122 7s. 6d. Amount of the capital stock paid up to this date, £225,000; rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 9 per cent. per annum; amount of the last dividend declared, £10,125; amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £9331 17s. 11d.

LONDON CHARTERED OF AUSTRALIA.—Liabilities: Notes in circulation, not bearing interest, £49,515; bills in circulation not bearing interest, £1432 3s 10d; balances due to other banks, £16,763 13s 11d; deposits not bearing interest, £269,533 15s 8d; bearing interest, £948,032 3s 4d—£1,217,565 19s; total amount of liabilities, £1,285,296 10s 9d. Assets: Coined gold and silver and other coined metals, £140,501 6s 5d; gold and silver in bullion or bars, £483 11s 6d; landed property, £124,242 14s 6d; notes and bills of other banks, £31,954 12s 1d; balances due from other banks, £2781 17s 10d; amount of all debts due to the bank, including notes, bills of exchange, and all stock and funded debts of every description, excepting notes, bills, and balances due to the said bank from other banks, £2,412,093 0s 5d; total amount of assets, £2,712 059 2s 9d. Amount of the capital stock paid up to date, £1,000,000; rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 8 per cent. per annum; amount of last dividend declared, £40,000; amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £269,629 3s 4d.

AUSTRALASIA.—Liabilities: Notes in circulation not bearing interest, £121,035 10s 9d; bills in circulation not bearing interest, £18 097 11s 3d; deposits not bearing interest, £798,204 17s 8d; deposits bearing interest, £1,514 522 17s 8d—£2,312,727 14 10d; total amount of liabilities, £2,451,864 16s 10d. Assets: Coined gold and silver and other coined metals, £644,382 19s 11d; gold and silver in bullion or bars, £5864 9s 11d; landed property, £75,523 16s 5d; notes and bills of other banks, £42,478 11s 6d; amount of all debts due to the bank, including notes, bills of exchange, and all stock and funded debts of every description, excepting notes, bills, and balances due to the said bank from other banks, £2,462,485 6s 3d; total amount of assets, £3,230,735 4s; amount of the capital stock paid up at this date, £1,600,000; rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, £12½ per cent. per annum; amount of last dividend declared, £96,000; amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £813,052. Government deposits:—Average bearing interest, £83,303 6s 8d; average not bearing interest, £125,157 7s 6d.

NORTH QUEENSLAND.—Liabilities: Bills in circulation, not bearing interest, £88 2s 9d; deposits, not bearing interest, £14,267 1's 6d; bearing interest, £38,782—£53,049 17s 6d; total amount of liabilities, £53,138 0s 3d. Assets: Coined gold and silver and other coined metals, £12,729 17s; notes and bills of other banks, £46 16s 6d; balances due from other banks, £223 9s 10d; amount of all debts due to the bank, including notes, bills of exchange, and all stock and funded debts of every description, excepting notes, bills, and balances due to the said bank from other banks, £53,624 7s 9d; Total amount of assets, £66,624 13s 1d. Amount of the capital stock paid up to this date, £175,000; rate of the last dividend and bonus declared to the shareholders, nil; amount of the last dividend declared, nil; amount of the reserved profits, £3808 1s 2d.

In the Import markets to-day business generally was quiet, country orders for goods for delivery next month are beginning to come in. For flour the inquiry is on a very moderate scale and quotations are as follows:—South Australian roller, £12 5s. to £13; stone, £11 5s. to £11 10s.; New South Wales roller, £11 15s. to £12 10s.; New Zealand roller, £10 15s. to £11 5s.; stone, £9 15s. to £10 10s.; Californian, £8 10s. to £11 10s. There is very little demand for wheat, 4s. to 4s. 3d. for New Zealand, 4s. 6d. to 4s. 7½d. for Californian, may be quoted as current values. In tea there is little to notice. To-morrow (Wednesday) morning a catalogue of about 2000 packages is advertised for sale without reserve at the City Mart. In their monthly tea market report, published to-day, Messrs. Rowbotham and Co., write:—

"Business has been confined to clearing out balances of importers' stocks, chiefly at auction, and the long delay in the opening of the Foochow market caused a hardening tendency here which has enabled holders to unload on better terms than they expected. The news that the first steamer was to leave on the 25th, has had a somewhat depressing effect, and dealers are now disinclined to operate until they see what value is coming forward. Common Congou has improved its position, and seems likely to remain firm for some time to come. The last sale showed buyers at 6½d and 6¾d for clean leafy tea. The Foochow market opened on the 4th instant, and the various cables received differed very much as to the opening prices, our own wire giving rates as only slightly lower than last year. No further definite news has come to hand. Really fine teas are reported very scarce. The Menmuir and Changsha brought some 4000 packages of new season Macao Congou and S. O. Pekoes. The latter are well scented, but the Congous hardly up to those of last year. The Guthrie is reported to have left on the 25th, and should arrive on the 12th August. China: Public offerings during the month have covered about 6000 packages Congou, principally half-chests. Prices have been very steady, each sale showing a slight advance on the former. Low medium to medium Pangongs, 7d to 9½d; fine, up to 11½d. Indian and Ceylon: A few packages of new season's Indian arrived in the Argus, and were placed privately, showing much improved value on last year. Some of the Darjeeling Pekoe Souchongs are exceptionally good, being equal in cup and very similar in flavour to finest Pangongs. Larger shipments are reported on the water. At auction some 650 packages old season's Indian and Ceylon have been offered, and sold at a heavy loss, owing to the news of the low rates ruling in Calcutta and Colombo. Latest telegraphic advice from Calcutta reports a considerable rise on the opening rates."

Dried fruit was without change in any respect. Van Houten's cocoa noticed at 3s. 4½d., and Taylor's at 1s. 3½d. Sugar remains at previous quotations. Buyers are operating sparingly, but holders show no disposition to make concessions; 320 bags brown sugar sold under the hammer at £26 to £28. The Chingtu, from Hongkong via Melbourne, brings 16,658 bags for this market. Cable news was received to-day by at least two firms, one stating that candles were likely to be raised, and the other that they were about to be raised a farthing per lb. The market here, however, was scarcely affected. In parcels, De Roubaix Jenars cannot be quoted over 5¾d. An auction lot of 106 boxes D. R. O.'s, with all faults, was sold at 5¼d.; another line, 150 boxes Panther paraffins, quitted at 5¾d. Condensed milk: Dairymaid English moving off at 6s. 7½d.; other brands up to 7s. Rock salt dull of sale, and cannot be quoted over 80s. in parcels. General grocery goods otherwise commanded little attention. In liquids, trade was extremely quiet, and prices of all were without change. In metals, a small parcel of wire nails was sold at 11s. 6d. Very little doing in galvanised iron. Woolpacks moving off at 1s. 10½d. for fast ends, and 1s. 11d. for loose. Baltic timber is weaker, owing to the excessive supplies. Eastern States shelving is also lower, for the like reason. The speculative movement in oregon has caused an advance, 10,000ft. parcels now being quoted at 14s. Redwood also is quoted higher, 20s. being asked. Considerable parcels of cement, covering several thousand barrels, have changed hands; from 16s. is the current rate.

As evidencing the approach of the wool season, Messrs. Winchcombe, Carson, and Co. advise that they are in receipt of way bills for the first of the new clip—51 bales from Goangra station, near Walgett.

Messrs. Fraser and Co. advertise for sale to-morrow (Wednesday) morning, sugar tea, groceries, &c.; also, 1030 tons coal.

The following was the Customs revenue received to-day:—

Spirits, £2043 8s 11d; wine (still), £55 11s 9d; wine (sparkling), £2; ale, porter, and beer (in wood), £27 7s 6d; ale, porter, and beer (in bottles), £44 7s 8d; tobacco and snuff, £273 6s; cigars, £208 4s 5d; tea, £378 8s 6d; coffee (raw), £43 4s.; sugar (unrefined), £89 19s 9d; rice, 9d.; dried fruits, £39 7s 7d; sarsaparilla (over 25 per cent.), £3 3s.; sarsaparilla (under 25 per cent.), £1 17s 6d. Specific duty: Bacon and hams, £30 7s 10d; biscuits, £2 11s; butter, £34 9s 6d; candles, £356 9s 2d; cement, £10; cocoa and chocolate, £3 18s 1d; confectionery, £3 1s 11d; essences over 25 per cent. of proof spirit, £4 9s 9d; fish, £36 17s; galvanised iron, £25 7s 1d; galvanised manufactures, £34 11s 8d; iron and steel wire, £196; jams and jellies, £17 6s 6d; milk, £220; oil (kerosene), £114 16s; oils (in bottle), £19 10s; oils (other), £31 6s; paints, £40 12s 9d; spirits (methylated), £24 16s; timber (dressed), £341 14s 3d; timber (undressed), £299 15s; varnish, £6 8s; harbour and light rates, £26 10s 4d; pilotage—Sydney, £12 19s 4d; harbour dues, £1; colonial distilled spirits, £179 9s 9d; excise on tobacco, £157 5s; excise on cigars and cigarettes, £10 7s 6d; excise on beer, £780 12s 6d. Total, £6409 19s 8d.

### COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, TUESDAY.

The timber auction sales were dull. American shelving sold at £13 10s. and Kauri logs 10s. At the sugar auctions next to nothing was done. Privately both best and second China whites were rather freely placed. The grain markets are unaltered in prices, and dull. Business generally is quiet.

In investment stocks Henry Arnold and Company, Silverton Tramway, and Hydraulic Power changed hands at improved quotations. Mercantile Finance sell at further reduction. Commercial Bank, £9 18s.

WAGGA WAGGA, TUESDAY.

The adjourned half-yearly meeting of Henry Hayes and Company, Limited, was held at Bellair's Commercial Hotel this afternoon. Sixteen shareholders were present. Mr. David Copland was chairman. The balance-sheet showed a profit of £5788. A dividend of 12½ per cent., amounting to £3079, was declared. It was proposed to add £1500 to the reserve fund, and to carry forward £1209.

### KANGAROOSKINS.

John Bridge and Co. report.—We offered 17,334 kangarooskins to-day, the other sellers combined 26,500. The classing, &c., which our catalogue underwent prior to being submitted. The three spacious floors of our No. 6 warehouse being now set apart exclusively for the adequate care, space, and reception of these skins. Last week's advance in values was improved upon, and we confidently look forward to still enhanced values, rates, as stocks are diminishing. We cleared our entire catalogue under excellent competition, every buyer in the trade being represented. Largest, rated at 120d to 140d; large, 90d to 117d; fair, 62d to 79d; medium, 32d to 58d; small, 18d to 31d; very small, 2d to 17d; bears, largest, 44d to 64d; fair, 4d to 4½d; small bears, 1½d to 3½d; rock wallaby very firm, 7d; scrub, 14½d; ordinary, 10d; small, to 5d; platypus, 37d each; goatskins, 11d to 25d.—ADVT.

### OPOSSUMSKINS.

John Bridge and Co. report:—We will submit to public competition to-day, Wednesday, 65,000 opossumskins, being the largest catalogue yet offered in Australia. As usual each lot offered will be faultlessly classed, and in lots to suit every wanter.—ADVT.

### SHEEPSKINS.

John Bridge and Co. report:—We cleared a very heavy catalogue of butchers and station skins to-day. The market is at its best; consignors should forward at once. We obtained 51d to 57d for butchers' ordinary skins, and 42d to 48d for smaller; station skins, 6d per lb.—ADVT.

### PRODUCE MARKET—TUESDAY.

This morning there was a limited attendance of the trade at the Darling Harbour auction sales. A small supply of forage was forward, consisting of 14 trucks, nine being of hay, four of straw, and one of chaff. For all descriptions competition was devoid of activity, and prices were weak. In the wood market good lots were readily disposed of. At the wharfs the shipments received came from the Richmond, Clarence, and Hunter Rivers. Trade was quiet. Intercolonial chaff was particularly dull of sale. Maize was easier. At the Darling Harbour sales the following rates were realised:—

Wood.—Small supplies. Billet quoted 8s to 11s 3d per ton; bundle, 8s 6d to 13s; foot, 8s to 13s 6d; bakers', 9s to 11s.

Hay.—Limited consignments, but sufficient for the day's requirements. Lucerne in truss, from Richmond, 4s per cwt.; Mulgrave, 3s 10d; bundles from Camden, 4s 5d; bales from Tamworth, 4s 8d; oaten in bundles, 6s 10d; medium kinds were neglected; wheaten in bundles, 4s.

Straw.—Very light stocks of four trucks, two clean and bright wheaten, in bundles, 4s per cwt.; faulty, 2s 8d.

Chaff.—Only one truck of discoloured oaten, in bags, was offered, which realised 3s 6d per cwt.

At the wharfs the following were the wholesale quotations:—

Wheat.—New Zealand milling parcels, steady 3s 10d to 4s 3d per bushel; Californian, to 4s 7d; South Australian, 5s 2d to 5s 3d.

Flour.—Unaltered, £12 5s to £13 per ton for South Australian roller; stone, £11 5s to £11 10s; New South Wales roller, £11 15s to £12 10s; New Zealand roller, £10 15s to £11 5s; stone, £9 15s to £10 10s; Californian, £8 10s to £11 10s.

Maize.—Stocks are arriving more freely than of late. Prime dry sound parcels 3s 2d per bushel.

Oats.—Rather quiet for feeding kinds, which are still quoted from 2s 10d to 3s 1d per bushel; seed, 3s 3d.

Bran.—Prices at 8½d to 9d per bushel.

Pollard.—Weak at 9d per bushel.

Hay.—Only light supplies from the Hunter River this morning. The demand was slack, and prices receded. Best lucerne qualities, £4 10s to £5 per ton; lower sorts, from £3 5s.

Chaff.—Stocks are greatly in excess of the requirements. Tasmanian kinds £6 to £6 10s per ton; New Zealand to £6 5s; Victorian straw, £4 5s to £5; oaten, £5 5s to £6 5s; best Adelaide, £6 10s to £6 15s.

Onions.—Best Victorian descriptions are held for £22 to £23 per ton.

Potatoes.—Tasmanian sorts steady and firm, £5 15s per ton; New Zealand, £5 5s to £5 10s.

Butter.—No change reported. Factory-made, from Illawarra districts, 1s 4d to 1s 6d per lb.; dairy sorts, 1s 1d to 1s 4d.

Cheese.—Prices of colonial kinds still range from 4d to 7d per lb.; New Zealand, 7d to 7½d.

Bacon.—Unaltered at 5½d to 6d per lb. for machine-cured Southern; hand-cured, 7½d to 8d; colonial roll, 7½d to 8d; New Zealand, to 8d.

Lard.—Finely-rendered in bladders rather quiet, 5½d to 6d per lb.; bulk, 5d to 4d.

Eggs.—Stocks accumulating. Southern districts lots, to 1s 5d per dozen; from Northern rivers, 1s 3d to 1s 4d.

Poultry.—In fairly active demand. Fowls, 3s 3d to 5s per pair; ducks, 3s 6d to 6s; geese, 6s to 7s; turkeys, 6s to 12s.

### GRAIN SALES.

Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited, report that at their auction grain sale yesterday they offered a moderate catalogue. Business by auction and also privately since last report amounted to 5528 sacks of all kinds of produce. Tuscan milling wheat to 4s 3d; other New Zealand descriptions to 3s 11d; Californian to 4s 6d; chickfeed, 3s 3d to 3s 7d; prime maize, 3s 2d; faulty from 2s 9d; milling oats to 3s 1d; feed, 3s; inferior from 2s 8d; bran, 9d; pollard, 9d; Circular Head potatoes to £5 17s 6d; Launceston, £5 12s 6d; New Zealand, £5 10s; Adelaide chaff to £7 5s; Victorian, £6 10s; New Zealand oaten, £6; straw, £4 5s; onions, £22; straw, £3 5s. Messrs. John Bridge and Co. also report having held an auction sale yesterday, when there was a fair attendance of the trade, but competition lacked animation for all lines excepting maize, and there was a further decline in prices. Best chaff, to £6 15s; medium to good, £5 5s to £5; straw, £3 5s to £4 5s, bran, 8½d to 9d; pollard, 9d; turnips, 26s to 30s per ton; feed barley, 3s to 3s 3d; prime maize, 3s 2d; inferior, 2s 11d to 3s 1½d.

### LEATHER AND SKIN SALES.

At yesterday's auction leather sales a good demand prevailed for light and well-dressed parcels of tweed, but the heavy sorts were again difficult to dispose of. The inquiry for kip was restricted. Sole was dull of sale, particularly for shipping requirements. Stocks of harness goods are still heavy, and this description was very dull of sale. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, and Hill, Clark, and Co. report having held sales. Quotations—Sole, 6d to 7½d; extra heavy to 10d; kip, 9½d to 11½d; calf tweed, 16d to 18d; yearling, 14d to 17d; harness, 9d to 11d; bag, 8s to 10s; bridle, 8s 6d to 1's; basils, 4s to 7s 6d. Catalogues of marsupial skins were submitted. For all sound lines there was a strong demand. Extra large sized kangaroo were mostly inquired for. Wallaroo varieties were neglected. Redskins and wallaby were slightly dearer. Messrs. F. L. Barker, The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Limited, Hill, Clark, and Co., Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited, J. H. Geddes and Co., and Winchcombe, Carson, and Co. report sales. Prices are as follows:—Extra heavy gray kangaroo, 80s to 100s per dozen; very exceptional lines higher. Large, 60s to 75s; fair, 40s to 56s; medium, 21s to 36s; small, 12s to 22s; very small, 2s to 10s; wallaroo, 1s 6d to 42s; red kangaroo, 2s to 50s; wallaby, best, 12s to 17s; medium, 6s to 10s; small, 1s to 5s; bear, 1s to 5s 9d; emu, to 3s 6d. Sales of butchers' and dry sheepskins were also held. Steady competition was experienced both for local fellmongery and shipping interests, especially the latter, and late auction rates were fully maintained. Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited, J. H. Geddes and Co., F. L. Barker, Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Brunker and Wolfe, Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, and Hill, Clark, and Co., report the clearances of supplies:—Superior butcher's full-woolled skins, 6½d to 8¼d; good, 52d to 60d; medium, 40d to 50d; other kinds, including pelts, 4d to 30d; lambskins, 18d to 36d; crossbreds, 24d to 40d; best long-woolled dry skins, 5½d to 6½d per lb.; seconds, 4d to 5½d; short growth from 2d.

### INVESTMENT AND MINING STOCK SALES.

The following list of sales of investment and mining stocks is published at the request of the brokers who supply them:—

Mr. Frank Blackley, 5, Spring-street (daily).

Block 10, 62s; South, £4 17s; Broken Hill Proprietary, £12; Sydney Permanent Freehold, contributing, £13 14s 3d; Investors' Guide, gratis (new issue).

## *MINING INTELLIGENCE.*

The business transacted in the mining market yesterday was somewhat restricted. Nearly all silver stocks opened weak, but subsequently they improved, and at the close late prices ruled. Broken Hill Block 10, Junctions, New Norths, Souths, and Victoria Cross changed hands at current rates. Centrals had good business, and closed hard. Tom's Lewis Ponds sold at 3s. 4d. Sunny Corners were lower, sales closing at 4s. 9d. There was very little demand for gold. Bonangs remained stationery. Baker's Creek North, contributing, were firmer. Coal and copper shares were neglected.

The mining market in Melbourne yesterday was firm for silver stocks, and higher prices ruled generally.

The following transactions were recorded yesterday by the Sydney Stock Exchange:—Morning: Central Broken Hill Silver, £5 6s., £5 5s.; Junction, 49s.; New North, 38s.; South, 96s.; Hero, 4s.; New Lewis Ponds, contributing, 3s. 4d., 3s. 3d.; Tom's Lewis Ponds, 3s. 6d.; Sunny Corner, 5s. 1½d.; Webb's Consols, contributing, 11d.; Bonang Gold, 15s. Afternoon: Broken Hill Block 10, 62s. 6d., 63s.; Central, £5 11s., £5 10s., £5 9s.; Junction, 50s.; New North, 38s. 9d., 39s., 39s. 3d.; South, 96s.; Extended, 8s 6d.; Tom's Lewis Ponds, 3s. 4d.; Round Hill, 97s. 6d.; Sunny Corner, 5s., 4s. 9d.; Victoria Cross, 9s. 6d.; Baker's Creek North Gold, contributing, 12s.

Subjoined are the latest quotations:—

| COAL. | Buyer. | Seller. | SILVER. | Buyer. | Seller. |
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| Bulli | — | — | Eveleen | 1 | 1 7 |
| Burwood, £1 p. | 22/ | 23 6 | Hero | 4 4 | 4 5 |
| Extended | 5/ | 7 6 | Imperial B. H. | 4 | 6 |
| Cullen Bullen | — | 8 6 | Ditto, contrib. | 2 | — |
| G't Northern | — | 9 6 | Lewis Ponds, N. | 4 1 | 4 9 |
| Greta, £2 paid | 28/ | 33 | Ditto, contrib. | 3 3 | 3 5 |
| Ditto, £1 paid | — | 13/ | Ditto, Tom's | — | 3 8 |
| Hetton | — | 5¼ | Pinnacle Group | — | 5 6 |
| Katoomba | — | 10 6 | Ditto, Tribute | — | 17 6 |
| Ditto, pref. | — | 2 4 | Rising Sun call paid | 3 6 | 3 8 |
| M. Wearmouth | — | 12 6 | Round Hill | 97/ | 99 |
| Stockton | 45/ | 46 | Sunny Corner | 4 6 | 5/ |
| Vale of Clwydd | — | 17 | Victoria Cross | 9 | 9 9 |
| Wallsend | — | 49 | Webb's | — | 30 |
| Waratah | — | 10 | Ditto, n. issue | — | 25 |
| West Wallsend | — | 14 | Ditto, Consols | 3/ | 3/9 |
| Wickham and Bullock I. | — | 26 6 | Ditto, contrib. | 10d | — |
| Ditto, pref. | 7 6 | 9 | White Leads call paid | 5/ | 6/ |
| COPPER. | | | GOLD. | | |
| Gt. Cobar C'pr | 3 | 4/ | Baker's Creek | 67/ | — |
| Great Central | 1 2 | 1 4 | Ditto, North | 13 6 | 15 |
| Nymagee | 4 9 | 6 6 | Ditto, contrib. | 11 9 | 12 3 |
| SILVER. | | | Ditto, South | 6 | — |
| British Bn. Hill | 65/ | 70/ | Ditto, contrib. | 3 6 | — |
| Bkn. Hill Prop. | 41½ | — | Band and Alb'n | 25 | — |
| Broken H. Block | — | 3 | Bonang | 15 | 15 3 |
| Ditto, Block 10 | 62/ | 62 6 | Conrans | — | 9/ |
| Ditto, Block 14 | 6¼ | — | Day Dawn | — | 8 6 |
| Ditto, Central | 5¼ | 5½ | Delaney's Dyke | — | 5 |
| Ditto, C. N. I. | 5¼ | — | Koh-i-noor, pd. | — | 3 2 |
| B. H. Junction | 49 6 | — | Ditto, contrib. | — | 1/10 |
| B. H. N. | 39/ | 39 6 | Major Creek | — | 7/ |
| B. H. S. | 95/ | 96 | Maritoto | 1 6 | — |
| Ditto Block 5 | 12 3 | 12 9 | Mount Morgan | — | 9 |
| South Extended | 8 3 | 9 | Royal Standard | — | 17 |
| Central Block | 2 3 | 3/ | Star of the East | — | — |
| Cosgrove | 1 3 | 2 4 | Victory | 16/ | 16 6 |
| Castle Rag. call p | 80 | — | | | |
| Day Dream | — | 1/ | | | |

The following were the Melbourne quotations posted yesterday at the Sydney Exchange: Silver: Block 10, buyer 63s., seller 63s. 6d., sales 63s. 6d.; Block 14, buyer £6 7s., seller £6 9s.; British Broken Hill, buyer 67s. 6d., seller 68s, sales 67s. 6d.; Broken Hill, buyer 42, seller 42½; Junction, buyer 49s. 6d., seller 50s., sales 49s. 6d.; Central, buyer £5 10s., seller £5 11s., sales £5 11s.; New North, buyer 38s. 6d., seller 38s. 9d., sales 38s. 6d.; Round Hill, buyer 98s., seller 99s., sales 98s.; Victoria Cross, buyer 9s. 6d., seller 9s. 9d., sales 9s. 6d.; Star of the East, buyer 81s., seller 83s., sales 82s.

At the Australasian Mining Exchange yesterday the following sales were recorded:—Morning—Silver: Sunny Corner, 5s. 6d., 5s. 7½d.; Broken Hill New Norths, 38s. 6d., 39s. 6d.; Rising Sun, 3s. 6d.; Webb's Consols, 1½d.; Lewis Ponds, contributing, 3s. 6d. Afternoon—Silver: Broken Hill South Extended, 8s. 9d.; Broken Hill New Norths, 39s., 39s. 3d.; Rising Sun, 3s. 6d., 3s. 7d.; Toms Lewis Ponds, 11d.; Hero Freehold, 4s. 1d., 4s. The following quotations were posted:—Silver: Sunny Corner, morning, buyer 5s. 6d., seller 5s. 9d.; afternoon, buyer 5s. 3d. Eveleen, afternoon, buyer 1s., seller 1s. 4d. Broken Hill Block 14, morning, buyer £6 5s., seller £6 15s.; afternoon, buyer £6 7s. 6d., seller £6 14s. Broken Hill Block 10, afternoon, buyer 62s., seller 63s. 6d. Broken Hill British, paid, morning, buyer 65s.; afternoon, buyer 68s. Broken Hill Centrals, paid, morning, seller £5 10s.; afternoon, buyer £5 10s., seller £5 10s. 6d. Broken Hill Central Blocks, morning, seller 4s.; afternoon, buyer 2s. 7½d., seller 3s. Broken Hill South, morning, buyer 94s., seller 99s.; afternoon, buyer 95s., seller 100s. Broken Hill South Extended, morning, buyer 8s. 6d., seller 8s. 9d.; afternoon, buyer 8s. 6d., seller 8s. 9d. Broken Hill New Norths, morning, buyer 39s., seller 39s. 3d.; afternoon, buyer 39s., seller 39s. 3d. Broken Hill Junctions, morning, buyer 48s.; afternoon, buyer 49s. 6d., seller 52s. 6d. Broken Hill Imperial Block, afternoon, buyer 5s., seller 6s. White Leads, morning, buyer 5s., seller 5s. 6d. Rising Sun, morning, buyer 3s. 6d., seller 3s. 9d.; afternoon, buyer 3s. 6d., seller 3s. 7d. Rising Sun Extended, morning, buyer 1s. 3d., seller 2s.; afternoon, buyer 1s. 5d., seller 1s. 9d. Victoria Cross, morning, buyer 9s. 9d., seller 10s.; afternoon, buyer 9s. 10d., seller 10s. Webb's, paid, morning, buyer 28s., seller 32s. 6d.; afternoon, buyer 27s., seller 33s. Webb's, contributing, morning, buyer 23s., seller 27s.; afternoon, buyer 24s., seller 24s. 9d. Webb's Consols, contributing, morning, buyer 11½d., seller 1s.; afternoon, buyer 10d., seller 1s. Lewis Ponds, paid, morning, buyer 4s. 3d., seller 5s.; afternoon, buyer 4s. 7d., seller 4s. 10d. Lewis Ponds, contributing, morning, buyer 3s. 4½d., seller 3s. 6d.; afternoon, buyer 3s. 4d., seller 3s. 6d. Tom's Lewis Ponds, contributing, morning, buyer 6d.; afternoon, buyer 9d., seller 1s. Spicer's, paid, morning, buyer 1s. Spicer's, contributing, morning, seller 9d.; afternoon, seller 9d. Hero Freehold, paid, morning, buyer 3s. 9d., seller 4s.; afternoon, buyer 4s. 1d., seller 4s. 3d. Hero Freehold, contributing, morning, buyer 2s., seller 3s.; afternoon, buyer 2s. 1d., seller 2s. 5d. Lubra, morning, buyer 6d., seller 9d. Gold: Bonang, morning, buyer 15s., seller 16s.; afternoon, buyer 15s., seller 15s. 4½d. Croydon Queen No. 2 South, afternoon, buyer 4s. 6d. Glenmire, afternoon, buyer 7s. Conrans, morning, seller 10s. Koh-i-noor, paid, morning, buyer 3s., seller 3s. 6d. Koh-i-noor, contributing, afternoon, buyer 1s. 7d., seller 1s. 8d. Baker's Creek North, contributing, morning, buyer 10s. 6d., seller 13s.; afternoon, buyer 12s. 9d., seller 13s. Little Gem, morning, seller 2s. 6d.

The half-yearly meeting of shareholders in the Koh-i-noor Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited, took place yesterday, Mr. James Dickie in the chair. After a somewhat lengthy discussion, the report and balance-sheet were unanimously adopted. A ballot to fill the three vacancies on the board of directors resulted in the re-election of the retiring directors, viz., Messrs. James Dickie and L. Fitzpatrick, and the election of Mr. R. A. Price. The retiring auditors, Messrs. Smyth and M'Cord, were re-elected. At the termination of the meeting, an extraordinary meeting of the shareholders was held, when a special resolution, amending clause 133 of the articles of association, was passed.

A second extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the White Rock Proprietary Silver-mining Company, Limited, was held yesterday, at the registered offices of the company, Hunter-street, to confirm the special resolution which was unanimously passed at the previous meeting, held on Monday, July 15. The resolution was as follows:—"That the company be voluntarily wound up, and that Charles R. Burnside be and he is hereby appointed liquidator to wind up the same, with power and authority to sell all the property, assets, and goodwill of the company to a new company to be formed and registered under the name of the White Rocks Proprietary Silver-mining Company, Limited, in the terms set out in an agreement in the form of the draft already prepared and submitted to the meeting, and which draft is marked A, and identified by the endorsement of the names of John Rossiter and John Kirkland, two of the directors, and to carry the same into effect; and also to consent to the registration of such company under the name of the White Rock Proprietary Silver-mining Company, Limited." There were present at the meeting:—Messrs. John Newton (in the chair), John Rossiter, John St. Vincent Welsh, John Kirkland (directors), R. Manning, Christopher Moor, and G. M'Leod Matheson, seven shareholders, representing personally and by proxy 2876 votes. The confirmation of the special resolution was moved by Mr. Newton, and seconded by Mr. Manning, and was unanimously adopted.

The ninth half-yearly meeting of shareholders in the Webb's Silver-mining Company was held yesterday at the office, No. 131, Pitt-street, Mr. T. H. Kelly being in the chair. The report stated that during the half-year operations at the mine had been carried on continuously, and have proved the lode to be both extensive and valuable as greater depth is attained. One of the directors, while on a visit to the United States, secured the services of Mr. Randolph Adams, a gentleman of great experience in silver-mining and in the treatment of silver ores, as mining manager for the company. Mr. Adams will not leave for Sydney until he has personally seen five tons of this company's ore treated by the Russell process of lixiviation—a process which has lately been perfected in the United States, and which is likely to prove peculiarly suitable for the treatment of the ore of this mine. The five tons of ore before alluded to have already reached San Francisco. During the half-year 197 tons of ore have been shipped to Adelaide, yielding, after usual allowance for loss in smelting, 14,090oz. of silver, or an average of 71½oz per ton of ore net. This would make the average assay value 80oz. per ton. The report and balance-sheet were adopted, and a vote of thanks was accorded the directors, after which the meeting terminated.

The third general meeting of shareholders in the Burwood Extended Coal Company took place yesterday at the company's office, No. 131, Pitt-street, Mr. M. C. Cowlishaw presiding. The report and balance-sheet were unanimously adopted. The report intimated that the colliery was being opened up as expeditiously as possible and it was expected that in about eight weeks' time the Borehole seam would be reached at a depth of 480ft. The directors have ordered an extensive plant for working the mine on a large scale. Mr. J. A. Brown was re-elected a director, and Messrs. J. H. Hutchison and Horace Allard were appointed auditors.

The third half-yearly meeting of shareholders in the Redhead Coal-mining Company took place yesterday afternoon at the company's office, No. 131, Pitt-street, Mr. M. C. Cowlishaw being in the chair. The directors' report and balance-sheet were adopted. The report stated that the final survey of the railway was completed early in the half-year, and the directors have accepted a tender for the construction of the first portion of the line, a distance of 3 miles 10 chains. It was found necessary to slightly amend the company's railway Act before tenders for the latter portion of the line could be accepted, and a bill giving the company the necessary powers is now before Parliament. Mr. J. A. Brown was re-elected a director, and Messrs. W. Shenstone and J. S. Hutchison were re-elected auditors. Votes of thanks to the directors and the chairman terminated the meeting.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, TUESDAY.

There was a firm market in silver to-day, and higher prices ruled generally. Broken Hill Proprietary, British Broken Hill, Round Hill, Junction, Victoria Cross, New North, and Block 5 dealt in at rising rates. Central Broken Hill, South Broken Hill, and Block 10 placed at improved prices, but did not maintain the top quotations. In gold companies Egertons were again in strong demand and realised a further good advance. Dixon's New North Clunes sold higher, New Kohinoor quitted lower.

Sales: Broken Hill, £42 5s., £42 15s.; Block 10, 63s., 66s. 6d.; Junction, 49s., 50s.; South, paid, 95s., 97s. 6d., 94s. 6d.; British, 66s. 6d., 68s. 6d.; Centrals, paid, £5 9s., £5 12s. 6d.; Centrals, new issue, £5 7s.; Cordillera, 6d., 10½d.; Commodore Vanderbilt, 4s. 4½d.; New North Brokens, 38s. 6d., 41s. 6d., 40s.; Pinnacle Tribute, 16s. 6d., 17s.; Rising Sun, 3s. 3d., 3s. 9d.; Round Hill, £4 18s., £5 1s. 6d.; Victoria Cross, 9s. 6d., 10s.; White Leads, 5s.; Mount Morgan, £8 10s.

'ADELAIDE, TUESDAY.

Share Report.—Sales: Baker's Creek, 70s., 71s. 6d., 71s. 3d.; Mount Moor, 3s., 3s. 5d.; Barossa No. 1, 3s. 6d., 3s.; Broken, £42 4s., £43 1s., £42 19s.; Block 14, from £6 10s., £6 11s.; Central, paid, £5 7s. 6d., £5 11s. 6d., contributing, £5 6s., £5 8s. 9d.; South, 97s. 6d., 96s.; British, 66s. 9d., 68s. 9d.; Block 10, from 62s., 63s. 9d.; Junctions, 48s. 6d., 49s. 1½d.; North, 38s., 38s. 6d.; Block 5, from 12s. 3d. to 12s. 4½d.; New Broken Hill Extended, 5s.; Rising Sun, 3s. 10½d.; South Extended, No. 1, at 3s. 8d.; Bonanza, 2s. 10½d.; Rising Sun Extended, 1s. 9½d.; Rising Sun North, 1s. 6d.; Eveleen, 1s. 4½d.; Maybell, 1s. 4d.; Black Prince, 1s. 2d.; Day Dream, 11d.; Wyndham Coal, paid, 15d.

LATER.

Broken, £42 10s., £43 1s.; Central, contributing, £5 9s.; Baker's, 72s.; British, 68s.; Block 10, 64s.; Junction, 49s.; North, 38s. 6d., 38s. 9d.; Moor, 3s. 7d., 3s. 8d.

BRISBANE, TUESDAY.

A crushing of 1421 tons from No. 1 North Glanmire, Gympie, yielded 2921oz. of smelted gold. A dividend of 7s. 6d. per share was declared, equal to £9000. The three-weekly crushing from No. 1 North Phoenix gave 2100oz. amalgum. The usual dividend of 1s. 6d. was declared.

GUNDAGAI, TUESDAY.

Several parcels of stone have been put through from the different claims at Williams' Coolac battery during the past month giving satisfactory results. The Bongongalong battery is now engaged on a parcel of stone from Pike's Reef, Jones's Creek.

TUENA, TUESDAY.

The new gold reef at Mount Costigan is expected to turn out well, five tons of quartz crushed at Costigan last week, and smelted on Saturday last, giving a return of 2½oz. to 3oz. to the ton. It is believed that a large amount of gold was lost, owing to unsuitable appliances. The reef belongs to Messrs. J. Haugh, R. Bates, M'Vicar, and J. Donnelly, the two latter being the original prospectors. One gentleman gave £50 for a third share before the ground was broken, the surface show being so good. The party are now driving a tunnel for the purpose of ascertaining the probable depth and richness of the reef.

SILVERTON, TUESDAY.

The pumping plant for the Gem Silver-mine has arrived at Silverton, and will be delivered at the mine to-day. At the Alpha mine a temporary stoppage has been made in the work from the main shaft, and operations are for the present confined to the east lode. The lode is very promising, the ore being of superior quality to that got in the west lode. There is a shaft sunk to the same distance below the water level, and they are now opening out north and south on the course of the lode at 40ft. from the surface. The width of the vein is about 3ft., in which streaks and bunches of galena and carbonate of lead occur. The main shaft is sunk between two lodes, and a crosscut will probably be put in at the 100ft. level to strike the east lode. At the Pinnacle Consols the drive on the course of the middle lode is now in 33ft. The ore on the footwall is greatly improved. A parcel of 20 tons of ore has been sent to Germany for treatment; and ore has been met with in the stopes of the Pinnacle Tribute, 12 tons of which have been sent to Dry Creek for treatment. Some of the ore went as high as 70oz. of silver per ton, and 38 per cent. of lead. At the Silver King mine the main shaft is down 120ft. The lode is making wider showing native silver and pyrites. The vein of galena is being left on the hanging-wall side, the lode being too wide to carry. At the Allah Proprietary mine carbonate ore is showing in the drive in the prospecting shaft, which is gradually increasing in size and richness. Several openings were made during last week along the line of reef; in each place carbonate ore and good silver-bearing galena were exposed.

ALBURY, TUESDAY.

The discovery of silver reported in the claim of Meredith and Co., Mayday line, Black Range, is arousing considerable interest. The company have employed an expert to test the stone, and are so satisfied with his report that it has been decided to send a parcel to the Ballarat School of Mines for treatment.

BROKEN HILL, TUESDAY.

The Himalaya claims, 17 miles south-east of Broken Hill, are about to be worked by an Adelaide company, the shares having been allotted privately. The lode is of great width, although its full extent is unknown. The ore consists of carbonate of lead and galena associated with silica and iron gossan. Chloride of silver also occurs, some of the assays being very high. The prospects generally are very favourable, well meriting a thorough trial, as important developments are probable. The claims adjoin the the Dainty Davie and Diadem mines. This is in the Big Hill district.

There is nothing fresh concerning the miners' movements. An ordinary general meeting is being held to-night

### MANAGERS' REPORTS.

Hero Freehold Silver and Gold-mining Company, Limited, Queensland, July 20.—In the Leo tunnel have a fine lode under foot, which seems to improve the further driven. The winze in Bown tunnel is going down in splendid ground. Have to-day cut a mundic seam, also a manganese seam on the footwall. In the Slade tunnel have taken down the hard back. In the winze in this tunnel there is still a nice lode going down. All the tanks filled.

Ford's Creek Antimony Mining Company, Limited, near Gulgong, July 27.—Shaft No. 5: Still continuing driving here with four men; the ore still continues about 4ft. wide, and of very good quality. Have raised 25cwt. for week. Shaft No. 6: Two men have been employed at this, and have sunk further 9ft.; total depth 18ft. The rock is very favourable for getting ore.

Prince of Wales and Old Poverty Company, No-Liability, Tarnagulla, July 27.—East crosscut main shaft at 545ft. level extended 6ft. for the week through hard sandstone; country now improving, and a little water coming in. Contractors have started driving, and have put the crosscut at prospecting shaft in 6ft., country slate and quartz veins, showing a little gold in dish trials.

Last Chance United, Ballarat East.—No. ; Level: The trial crushing from this part of the mine yielded 4oz. 16dwts. for 120 tons. No. 2 Level: Still raising stone of a payable character. No. 3 Level: The main north drive is still hard, and carries a vein of quartz 4in. thick, well mineralised; also stoping over the back and east of pug vein, and breaking stone on west side of big stone. South main drive is being driven south, through hard country, which carries a small vein 4in. thick, with gold to be seen occasionally. There is also a small vertical vein, which gives out a little water. Gold for fortnight, 90oz. 16dwts., from 249 tons; total, 96oz. 18dwts.

North Woah Hawp, Ballarat East.—Crushed 208 tons for 213oz. 1dwt.

New Normanby, Ballarat East.—Crushed 70 tons for 53oz. Stone at No. 2 level looking favourable. No. 5 Level: Indication stone poor. No. 6 Level: Eastern crosscut driven 12ft. for week; now in 92ft. from shaft. Western crosscut driven 10ft. Passed through two veins carrying gold.

Prince of Wales Gold-mining Company, Burnt Yards, July 27.—Have completed a small crushing of 33 tons, yielding 25oz. of free gold, and leaving double the quantity of pyrites obtained from any previous stone. Continued sinking shaft, and squared and sunk 4ft. for the week, making 206ft. from the surface. The lode appears to be making more quartz at the south end. Have cut a vein in the cross-cut from the main shaft, which is about a foot wide, and carries payable gold.

Gold Hill Gold-mining Company, Burnt Yards, July 27.—Have completed the erection of whim, and have thoroughly repaired and secured the shaft. The whim will greatly facilitate mining operations.

New Carrington Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited, July 27.—During the week we have only worked two shifts; in main shaft have sunk 2ft. and timbered, making a total depth of 224ft. from surface. Having to bring the brass liner of the pump to Goulburn to be renovated, work for the present is discontinued.

The Day Dawn Gold-mining Company, Limited, July 25. No. 1 level: No. 2 west winze sunk 4ft. and timbered. Reef about same as last reported; carries a little gold. No. 2 level: East drive extended 8ft. and timbered. Reef in face breaking to the north; no gold visible. West drive extended 9ft. and timbered; no reef in face. Following course of break to the south stopes over the drives generally showing fair quality of crushing stuff. About 25 tons of crushing stuff raised.

The Sunny Corner Silver mining Company, Limited, July 25.—Three cupola furnaces have worked 4½ days each, and one reverberatory furnace 6 days, reducing the following material, viz.:—48 tons cupola matte, 5¾ tons raw ore, 69 tons roasted b. mineral, 37¾ tons gossan ore, 59¾ tons reverberatory metal, 154¾ tons foul slag, 14¾ tons furnace crust—total, 388¾ tons, producing 2¾ tons bullion and 4 tons matte, the estimated assay value of which is about £300; and 60 tons cupola matte and 55 tons reverberatory metal (in course of manufacture), £525. Mine No. 4 tunnel: Eastern tunnel extended a further distance of 15ft.—total, 38ft. No. 2 tunnel: No. 1 stope breaking good average ore. No. 2 and No. 3 stopes also breaking ore. No. 4 stope timbering and filling in No. 1 tunnel. Week's ore taken from No. 2 tunnel and centre block, and gossan from No. 4 open cutting. Stopes in the upper workings looking well, and turning out good average quality ore.

John Bull United Gold-mining Company, Limited, Calliope, Queensland, July 20.—During past week four men have continued stoping out stone; are taking a back out 30ft. in length; reef about 15in., and stone shows nice gold, and there is a nice splice of stone making on the hanging wall, carrying good gold, and have splendid slate rock to work in. There are 14 tons of stone in the paddock, and a back of reef stripped ready to break down on Monday. The Bull looks in a very satisfactory condition. The Conemarra.—Two men have been stoping, and two driving to the west. In the face of the drive a hard bar of rock has jammed the reef out. There is a good body of stone vertical, showing gold.

Baker's Creek Gold-mining Company, No Liability, July 20.—Tons crushed, 44; yield therefrom, 474oz. gold. One of the batteries having been employed on stone from the North Baker's Creek Company, in accordance with agreement, together with the stoppages to connect new machinery for trials, will account for the comparatively small quantity of company's stone put through. Smith's tunnel driven 10ft., with no change. Miller's tunnel is being extended on the course of the big reef; stone still looks well. Barnfield's tunnel driven 9ft. on course of Smith's reef, and 11ft. on that of big reef. The former is now all in country rock, and the reef is better defined; no change in the latter.

Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company, Limited, July 25.—300ft. level: Crosscut opposite the shaft 30ft., total length west of plat 116ft., the last 32ft. being in galena running from 30 to 40 per cent. lead, but low in silver content. North drive 159ft. outside of crosscut timbers, 22ft. having been driven since last measurement. South drive 135ft. outside of crosscut timbers, 16ft. having been driven since last measurement. Total length of 300ft. level, north and south, 294ft. Distance required to connect No. 1 winze, about 26ft. Distance required to connect south shaft, about 35ft. 200ft. level: Main north drive driven 35ft.; total length north of plat, 798ft. 6in. Crosscut opposite main shaft 4ft., face in kaolin 110ft. west of west shaft timber. No. 1 winze sunk 6ft.; total depth, 75ft. No. 2 winze crosscut west at 300ft. level, 3ft.; total, 38ft. Crosscut now being driven east. No. 3 winze sunk 7ft.; total depth, 55ft. 400ft. crosscut west driven 8ft.; total distance of face west of north drive, 88ft.

Pye's Creek Silver-mining Company, Limited, July 27.—Shaft has been further sunk 4ft., making a total depth of 282ft. 6in. The lode is about the same in size and quality of ore as it was a week ago. The joints and seams in the rock (slate) on the footwall side are stained with galena, which is quite a new feature here.

Murrumbidgee Copper Syndicate, July 28.—Tunnel has been driven a further distance of 5ft. 6in. Bored a hole about 12ft. straight in the tunnel and blasted it, which broke through to shaft.

Ethel May Gold-mining Company, No Liability, July 21.—The reef still continues large, and prospects well.

Royal Standard Gold-mining Company, No Liability, July 24.—The sinking of No. 3 winze is somewhat impeded through the influx of surface water. The stopes are progressing very well, and the quartz looks fully as good as that which was crushed last.

Wongobah Silver Mine, July 20.—Heavy storms and floods stopped all outside work during the week. Worked two days on lode. At No. 2 shaft broke about 20 tons ore; width lode 4ft., ore of good quality. Secured roof of tunnel.

## *MEETINGS.*

### WATER AND SEWERAGE BOARD.

The weekly meeting of the Water and Sewerage Board was held yesterday afternoon in the boardroom, Circular Quay. Mr. T. Rowe presided, and there were also present Messrs. Palmer, Graham, Young, Lander, Darley, and Hickson.

The abstract of revenue for the week ending July 27 showed cash receipts amounting to £2782 0s. 7d., making the total revenue during the current year £70,221 11s. 10d. During the week 2993 yards of pipes had been laid in the various suburbs, and 487 yards of piping had been cleaned. The board decided to grant free water supplies to the School of Industry, Darlinghurst; Ragged Schools, Harrington-street, Bay-street, Glebe, Botany-street, Waterloo, and Brisbane-street; and North Shore Hospital. Messrs. Purnell Brothers (Leichhardt), M. Keating (city), and G. Sheaves (Ashfield), three plumbers, were reported by the assessor for infringing the 11th clause of the bylaws and the 16th clause of the Act. They were ordered to appear before the board at the next meeting. Several cases, in which citizens were charged with using water for their horses without payment of fees, were referred to the board's solicitor.

The board's engineer (Mr. Trevor Jones) laid before the board a report on the proposed water supply to Five Dock, and it was adopted. The estimated cost of the scheme is £3960, and the anticipated revenue is £231 14s. per annum, or a return of nearly 6 per cent. on the outlay.

Mr. Trevor Jones submitted a long report, having reference to the washaway which took place at No. 4 dam, in Centennial Park, last Thursday night. He said such an accident might have been attended with very serious results. If a crust of natural ferruginous concrete had not formed the base of the dam, its whole contents would have caused a breach in the dam below, and the water of the two together would have been sufficient to carry away dam No. 6. The combined waters then must have carried away the Randwick dam and the other eight dams between it and Botany, causing disaster and, in all probability, loss of life. Several other serious damages were the outcome of the accident, viz., the stoneware 2ft. pipe collapsed, and the main drive was sinking. Dam No. 3 was in a precarious condition, and the filter dam was only indifferently safe. Dams Nos. 6 and 7 should be provided with more efficient and stronger off-lets. Dam No. 1, like No. 4, retained the water at too high a level to be perfectly safe, and that also should have more effective outlets. The board decided that a letter be written to the Colonial Secretary enclosing a copy of the report, and urging that immediate steps be taken to secure the complete safety of the dams.

Accounts amounting to £2115 13s. 7d. were examined and passed for payment.

Eight tenders were received for the erection of an engine and boiler-house and stack at Crown-street Reservoir. The lowest tenderer was Mr. Robert Brown, the contractor who is just finishing the foundations for the same. The board's engineer reported that he had done his part of the work very fairly well, and with little trouble to the board. The tender was accepted, the price being £4449 17s. 2d. Another tender accepted was that of R. Mitchell, for the cartage of watermains to Campbelltown railway station, the price being 9s. 3d. per ton.

The following is a list of streets in which it is proposed to lay water-mains so soon as pipes are available:—4in. mains: Terrace-street, East St. Leonards, off Alfred-street, 63 yards; Undercliff-street, East St. Leonards, off Terrace-street, 67 yards; Princess-street, Ashfield, John-street to Taringa-street, 110 yards; Taringa-street, Ashfield, Princess-street to Alt-street, 110 yards; Tillocks-street, Ashfield, Canterbury-street to Wellesley-street, 132 yards; Abigail-street, Ashfield, Canterbury-road to Wellesley-street, 132 yards: total, 614 yards, or 205 4in. pipes; the estimated cost of which is, 614 yards, 4in. pipes, £190.

### THE NEW SOUTH WALES EMPLOYERS' UNION.

The monthly meeting of the executive council of the New South Wales Employers' Union, at which there was a full attendance, was held yesterday afternoon at 5, O'Connell-street, the president, Mr. Henry Hudson, being in the chair. A large amount of financial and routine business was disposed of, after which the election of several new members took place. Correspondence from the affiliated employers' unions in the other colonies, having reference to the internal working of the unions and the investment of funds belonging thereto, was considered, and was referred to the financial committee for their report. A committee was appointed to act with the Chamber of Commerce in making inquiry into certain abuses which exist in connection with the shipping trade of the port, so that a joint report may be furnished dealing with the whole question, and making such suggestions as may be deemed advisable to alter the present state of affairs. A letter was received from the Trades and Labour Council of New South Wales in reply to a communication addressed to that body suggesting that the time had arrived when relations might be established between the Employers' Union and the council, such as might prove advantageous to the interests represented by both bodies. The Trades and Labour Council intimated that it had appointed a committee of seven to meet the representatives of the Employers' Union at an early date, and discuss the matter in a general way with a view of arriving at a mutual understanding. A committee was appointed to meet the representatives of the Trades and Labour Council, and it was suggested that the meeting should if possible take place on Friday evening next, at the rooms of the Employers' Union. The matter was, however, left in the hands of the secretary to arrange in a way suitable to all parties.

### THE SYDNEY MINISTERS' UNION.

The monthly meeting of the Sydney Ministers' Union was held on Monday, in the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. The Rev. G. W. Taylor occupied the chair, and the following members were present:—Revs. Martin (secretary), Forsaith, Coller, Woodhouse, Sutherland, Allen, Patterson, Dalrymple, Clarke, Tress, Fox, Bavin, Clifton, Woolnough. After devotional exercises, in which Messrs. Martin, Forsaith, Coller, and Woodhouse took part, the minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed. The chairman read a message from Principal Fletcher, accounting for his absence. The secretary, as one of the sub-committee appointed to consider the subject of establishing a branch of the Evangelical Alliance, brought up the following report:—"Your sub-committee approve of the basis of the Evangelical Alliance as calculated to unite all Christians throughout the world. The following is the basis referred to:—1. The Divine inspiration, authority, and sufficiency of the Holy Scriptures. 2. The right and duty of private judgment in the interpretation of the Holy Scriptures. 3. The unity of the Godhead, and the Trinity of Persons therein. 4. The utter depravity of human nature in consequence of the fall. 5. The incarnation of the Son of God, His work of atonement for sinners of mankind, and His mediatorial intercession and reign. 6. The justification of the sinner by faith alone. 7. The work of the Holy Spirit in the conversion and sanctification of the sinner. 8. The immortality of the soul, the resurrection of the body, the judgment of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ, with the eternal blessedness of the righteous, and the eternal punishment of the wicked. 9. The divine institution of the Christian ministry, and the obligation and perpetuity of the ordinances of baptism and the Lord's Supper. Your sub-committee finds that there is no monetary obligation to the parent society from branches. The branch, if formed, would be supported by voluntary contributions, with a small fee for membership, merely covering working expenses. Your sub-committee, having considered the whole subject, recommends the establishment of a branch of the Evangelical Alliance in New South Wales, with Sydney as its headquarters. In the event of this recommendation being adopted by the union, the sub-committee suggests its enlargement in order to mature matters for a public meeting, such as the selection of suitable men to act as office-bearers of the branch." The Rev. G. Sutherland moved the adoption of the report, and spoke earnestly in favour of the establishment of a branch of the alliance. In the course of his remarks he read an interesting letter from Lieutenant-General Field, C.B., the general secretary of the parent society, bearing on the subject. The motion being seconded, a discussion ensued. Eventually the report was adopted, and the suggestion of the enlargement of the committee was carried out by the addition of the Revs. Tress, Taylor, Fletcher, Forsaith, Coller, and Allen. The Rev. T. B. Tress gave notice that in the event of a branch of the Evangelical Alliance being established, he would move at a future meeting that the Sydney Ministers' Union be merged in the branch."

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Branch of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was held in the Town Hall on Thursday last, Mrs. Harris presiding. There were present—Miss Allwood, Miss Levvy, and the hon. secretary, Mr. J. Sidney. It was resolved that the medals awarded for prizes in the recent competition for essay writing should be forwarded to the head teachers for presentation to the pupils. Encouraging reports were received from the joint hon. secretaries of the further progress of the Band of Mercy movement. Miss Levvy reported formation of bands at the Darlington Public school—president, Mr. Smith; Paddington Public school, Miss Doyle president; Cleveland Public school—president, Mr. Thornton; Redfern Public school—president, Mr. Parkinson; Waterloo Public school, Mr. Cornish president; Blackfriars Public school, Mr. Turner president; Castlereagh-street Public school, Mr. Marrick president; Fort-street Public school, Mr. Dettman president. Mrs. Ellis reported formation of bands at Murrurundi and Haydonton—president, Mr. J. R. Evans; Junee, Rev. J. Stubbs president; Newcastle Superior Public school—president, Mr. J. C. Ellis; Islington Public school—president, Mr. Conway; Newcastle South Public school, president Major Ranclaud; Kellyville—president, Mr. Hardill; Hamilton Public school—president, Mr. F. W. Reay.

At the quarterly meeting of the Evening Star Lodge, I.O.G.T., Parramatta, held on Monday evening, the election of officers resulted as follows:—Chaplain, the Rev. J. Done; W.C.T., Bro. John Saunders; W.V.T., Bro. H. Stelton; superintendent of the Havelock Juvenile Temple, Sis. Goodin; F.S., Bro. J. Pickering; W.T., Bro. J. Smith; W.S., Bro. A. Aspinall; W.M., Bro. C. Eades; I.G., Bro. A. French; Sent., Bro. F. Mance. During the evening Bro. Sampson, of the Grand Lodge, gave a short address on his lecturing experiences. He congratulated the lodge on the success they had attained.

The annual tea and public meeting in connection with the St. Peter's Church of England, Woolloomooloo, took place last night in the schoolroom, Forbes-street. The public meeting was crowded to excess, many being unable to find seats. The Incumbent, the Rev. T. B. Tress, presided, and, in his opening address, spoke of the encouragement he had received in his work. Although the debt on the church had not been quite liquidated, still a great deal of it had been paid off. The Rev. Canon Moreton and other ministers also addressed the meeting. During the course of the evening Dr. Crago presented Mr. C. Lewis with an address expressive of the goodwill felt towards that gentleman by the parish. Mr. Lewis has just left the district, and for a long time was superintendent of St. Peter's Sabbath School. At intervals the choir and other friends rendered some select music.

## *REPORT ON ANTHRAX AT COWRA.*

The Minister for Mines has received the following report from the Government Veterinarian on the recent outbreak of anthrax in a mob of travelling cattle at Cowra:—"Department of Mines (stock branch). To the Chief Inspector of Stock. Sir,—I have the honour to report having examined the diseased cattle in the district of Young, just across Cowra bridge, in the travelling stock reserve. They were the property of Mr. R. Hassall, store cattle, composed of cows and heifers in good condition. He started 355 from Mudgee, via Wellington and Molong. When about 10 miles on the road to Canowindra sickness broke out, and cattle began to die. This continued to Cowra, where I saw several ill and dead; 43 deaths had then occurred. Riding through the cattle, the following symptoms were observed:—Erect hair, empty stomachs, wild expression of eyes; in several cases well-marked swollen patches could be seen—in one on thigh or shoulder, in others on the neck, rump, or on the back or ribs; they walked stiffly, often lame; traces of blood stains were on the tail and buttocks; and blood was mixed with the black liquid dung. The urine was seldom altered in colour; now and then blood trickled from the nostrils. These symptoms precede death for two or three days. This is anthrax, the form known to veterinarians as blackleg, or charbon symptomatique. A dozen or so lay dead on the Cowra reserve. I selected for examination three animals recently dead, and found in each the typical pathological lesions of the disease, viz., extensive patches of black bloody and yellow gelatinous effusions in various parts of the body, and also black bloody discolourations on some of the viscera, chiefly the rectum and colon; the serous membranes of the heart and liver were extensively infiltrated with black blood; the peritoneum had numerous patches of congested vessels, and the mesenteric membrane was thickened by a gelatinous fluid. The spleens were pale and small, in one the covering was distinctly congested. The lungs and kidneys were healthy in each case. This is identically the same disease that killed so many cattle near Dubbo in 1887. In consequence of its fatal character, curative treatment is almost useless, therefore preventive measures are advised. In Europe this is done by inoculation with a cultured or prepared virus from a diseased animal; but such virus is not obtainable in this colony. Move the cattle from contaminated places on to fresh pastures, and rigourously enforce cremation of every carcase. It is dangerous to remove the skins. This is all that can be done to travelling stock; for cattle that are exposed to the disease, and can be handled, I advise a few doses of saline medicine with the insertion of a medicated seton in the dewlap. I have, &c., (signed) Edwd. Stanley, F.R.C.V.S., Government Veterinarian."

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## METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS AND MAP FOR JULY 30, 1889.

EXPLANATORY.

BAROMETRIC CURVE. Perth, Pt; Newcastle, N; Albury, Ay; Eucla, Ea; Cape Borda, CB; Adelaide, A; Robe, Re; Portland, P; Melbourne, M; Gabo, Go; Sydney, S; Wilson's Promontory, WP; Eden, E; Moruya, Ma; Jervis Bay, CG; Wollongong, WG; Port Macquarie, PM; Brisbane, B; Clarence R., C; Cooktown, C; Rockhampton, R.

LIST OF STATIONS. Weather at 9 a.m. W.T.: Blue sky, b; detached clouds, c; drizzling rain, d; fog, f; gloomy, g; hazy, h; misty, m; frosty, n; overcast, o; passing showers, p; rain, r; snow, s; thunder, t; threatening, u.

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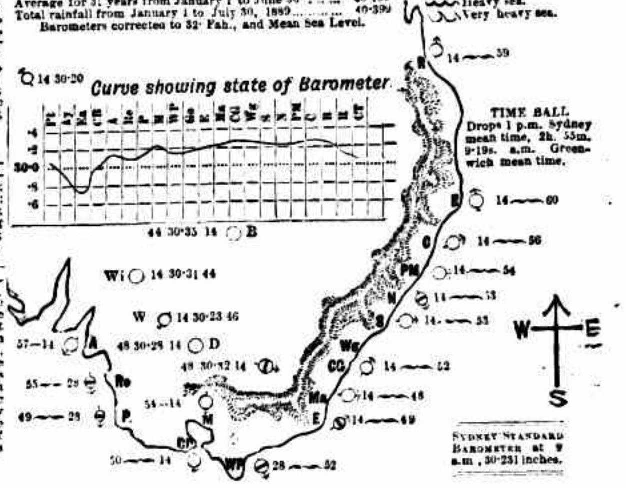
The readings of the barometer and of the thermometer inland at Albury (A), Deniliquin (D), Wentworth (W), Wilcannia (Wi), Bourke (B), and Alice Springs (AS), are given in figures. Atmospheric currents are shown by arrows flying with the wind, the velocity of which is given in miles per hour.

SYDNEY OBSERVATORY.
LATITUDE 33° 51' 41" S. LONGITUDE 10h. 4m. 50·81s. E.

MAGNETIC VARIATION, 9° 35' 37" E.

Average annual rainfall for 30 years ... 48·961
Average for 31 years from January 1 to June 30 ... 30·199
Total rainfall from January 1 to July 30, 1889 ... 40·399
Barometers corrected to 32° Fah., and Mean Sea Level.

Fine wind S. Cloudy, wind W. T Storm, wind N. Rain, wind E. When CALM the symbol is used without the arrow. Smooth sea. Heavy sea. Very heavy sea.




TIME BALL Drops 1 p.m. Sydney mean time, 2h. 55m. 9·19s. a.m. Greenwich mean time.

SYDNEY STANDARD BAROMETER at 9 a.m., 30·231 inches.

| Stations. | Wt | Mx | M | Rn. | Stations. | Wt | Mx | M | Rn. | Stations. | Wt | Mx | M | Rn. | Stations. | Wt | Mx | M | Rn. |
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| Albury | d | 60 | 45 | 0·05 | Cowra | d | [illegible] | 40 | 0 | Marsdens | c | 65 | 45 | 0 | Port Stephens | b | 63 | 41 | 0 |
| Armidale | b | 57 | 37 | 0 | Cudgellico | c | — | [illegible] | 0 | Menindie | b | — | — | — | Queanbeyan | b | — | — | — |
| Balranald | b | 76 | 36 | 0 | Deniliquin | f | [illegible] | [illegible] | 0 | Molong | b | 55 | 30 | 0 | Quirindi | b | 69 | 42 | 0 |
| Bathurst | f | 62 | 31 | 0 | Dubbo | b | [illegible] | [illegible] | 0 | Morangarell | d | 67 | 42 | 0 | Scone | b | — | 40 | 0 |
| Bendemeer | b | 61 | 34 | 0 | Eden | b | [illegible] | [illegible] | 0 | Moree | b | 78 | 39 | 0 | Singleton | b | 66 | 47 | 0 |
| Bodalla | b | — | 31 | 0 | Euston | b | [illegible] | 38 | 0 | Moruya | b | 67 | 42 | 0 | Sydney | f | 64 | 49 | 0 |
| Bowral | b | 58 | 40 | 0 | Forbes | c | [illegible] | 44 | 0 | Moss Vale | b | 52 | 36 | 0 | Tamworth | b | 59 | 41 | 0 |
| Bombala | b | 59 | 28 | 0 | Gabo Island | b | 63 | 49 | 0 | Mount Hope | b | 61 | 42 | 0 | Taralga | b | — | — | — |
| Bourke | b | 72 | 45 | 0 | Glen Innes | b | 63 | 42 | 0 | Mount Victoria | b | 55 | 37 | 0 | Taree | b | — | — | — |
| Bundarra | b | 69 | 28 | 0 | Goulburn | b | 64 | 36 | 0 | Mudgee | f | 61 | 34 | 0 | Tenterfield | b | 65 | 36 | 0 |
| Camden Haven | b | 70 | 43 | 0 | Grafton | b | 67 | 52 | 0 | Mungindi | b | 70 | 40 | 0 | Wagga | b | 68 | 37 | 0 |
| Cape St. George | b | 65 | 50 | 0 | Gulgong | b | 60 | 30 | 0 | Murrumburrah | b | 66 | 38 | 0 | Walcha | b | 60 | 27 | 0 |
| Carcoar | d | 55 | 31 | 0 | Gunnedah | b | 75 | 40 | 0 | Murrurundi | b | 60 | 40 | 0 | Walgett | b | 67 | 43 | 0 |
| Casino | c | 77 | 48 | 0 | Hay | b | 70 | 41 | 0 | Muswellbrook | b | 64 | — | 0 | Warialda | b | 68 | 25 | 0 |
| Cassilis | c | 61 | 40 | 0 | Inverell | b | 60 | 36 | 0 | Narrabri | b | 71 | 36 | 0 | Warrah | — | — | — | — |
| Clarence | b | 70 | 56 | 0 | Kiandra | d | 39 | 33 | 0 | Newcastle | b | 55 | 47 | 0 | Wentworth | b | 64 | 42 | 0 |
| Condobolin | b | 46 | 40 | 0 | Lismore | b | 76 | 49 | 0 | Orange | b | 56 | 39 | 0 | Wollongong | b | 69 | 49 | 0 |
| Cooma | b | 58 | 25 | 0 | Maitland | b | 65 | 49 | 0 | Picton | b | 61 | 35 | 0 | Wilcannia | b | 70 | 38 | 0 |
| Coonabarabran | b | 68 | 30 | 0 | Manning Heads | b | 68 | 47 | 0 | Port Macquarie | b | 67 | 48 | 0 | Young | b | 70 | 35 | 0 |
| Coonamble | b | 66 | 43 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

SYNOPSIS.

New South Wales.—Fine and pleasant, with light and variable winds or calm.

Victoria and Straits.—Fine, with scattered clouds and light northerly winds.

Tasmania.—Fine, with light and variable winds.

Queensland.—Fine, with light S.E. winds.

South Australia.—Fine and pleasant; light to fresh northerly winds.

Western Australia.—Showers on the south coast.

Central and North Australia.—Fine, with S.E. winds or calms.

New Zealand.—Fine in south, cloudy to north, squally in extreme north and N.E.

Forecasts.—New South Wales: Generally fine, with light and variable winds tending to northerly.—H. C. RUSSELL. Victoria: Fine, but tending to unsettled weather; northerly winds changing to west, with rain.—R. L. J. ELLERY. South Australia: Becoming unsettled and showery, with squalls and rough sea on coast; northerly winds fresh to strong, changing to westerly; fine inland.—C. TODD.

Rain has fallen in previous 24 hours.—New South Wales: Very light at Albury. Victoria: Light on the coast. Western Australia: Light to moderate along the coast. Tasmania: Light on north coast. South Australia: Light in scattered places south of Port Augusta.

Sharp shock of earthquake, lasting about four seconds, from north to south, was distinctly felt at Gabo Island last night (Monday), 6.20 p.m.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Deniliquin, W., fine, 65°; Wentworth, N., fine, 62°; Forbes, calm, fine, 52°; Eden, S.W., fine, 61°; Goulburn, calm, fine, 62°; Wilcannia, calm, fine, 63°; Dubbo, S., fine, 57°; Newcastle, S.S.E., fine, 65°; Cape George, calm, fine, 61°; Port Macquarie, S., fine, 68°; Bathurst, calm, clear, 59°; Sydney, S.E., fine, 60°.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR JULY 31.

Sun rises at 6.55, sets at 5.18; Moon, 9.3 a.m., 8.5 p.m.; Mercury, 6.36 a.m., 4.38 p.m.; Venus, 3.55 a.m., 2 p.m.; Mars, 6.16 a.m., 4.13 p.m.; Jupiter, 2.12 p.m., 4.30 a.m.; Saturn, 7.43 a.m., 6.23 p.m. Full moon, 13th; new moon, 25th.

High water at Fort Denison: 10.19 a.m., 10.36 p.m.

H. C. RUSSELL, Government Astronomer.

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ST. MARK'S ROAD.—Superior family Residence. Ocean View, 8 rooms, stable and coachhouse. Every convenience.
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SHOPS, GEORGE-STREET,
Basement, Ground Floor, First, Second, and Third Floors,
TO LET, separately or together.
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LARGE STORES, PITT-STREET,
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TO LET or for Sale, 30 Acres Land, Orchard, and Vegetable Ground, situated at Mortlake. J. J. Nash.

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TO LET, 31, Cumberland-st., large DWELLING and Stabling. G. M. Alexander, 40, Hunter-street.

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TO LET, 126, Cobden-terrace, Devonshire-street, Surry Hills, 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse. Apply 130.

TO LET, Butcher's SHOP, Cooper-street, Surry Hills, rent 18s. Dunn and Webb, 280, Pitt-street.

TO LET, Musical Institute, Castlereagh-street, suitable for dancing, &c. Dunn and Webb, Pitt-street.

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TO LET, Premises, No. 175, William-st., Wooll., 8 rooms, £1 2s week. H. Vaughan and Son, 142, King-st.

TO LET, 166, Crown-st., near Stanley-st., 3 rooms, kitchen, rent 13s. Apply 3, Stanley-street.

TO LET, HOUSE, 4 rooms, large yard. Frost's Hotel, Dowling-street, Surry Hills.

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TO LET, House, 5 rooms, &c., Comber-st., Paddington, rent 14s. W. Kidman, shop, Oxford-street.

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TO LET, HOUSE, 460, Harris-street, stables, shed, large yard. Apply 21, Union-street, Pyrmont.

TWO Nice OFFICES, ground floor, commodious, airy, centrally situated, low rent. Oatley and Cahill.

TO LET, near railway station, large YARD, with 5-stalled stables and sheds, suitable for workshop. Apply 56, George-street West.

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TO CARMEN, CARRIERS, and Others.—To LET, 32, Smith-street, Camperdown, COTTAGE and large yard, land 66 x 125 x 225, rent £1 per week. Apply CHAS. T. BURFITT, 418, George-street.

TO LET, at Petersham, best main road position, a grand Corner SHOP and Dwelling; will suit for any business; a fortune to a good man. KITT and CO., House Agents, opposite Petersham Station.

TO LET, 3 commodious and well-lighted OFFICES, with two strong rooms included, on ground floor, Eldon-chambers, Pitt street, suitable for a firm of solicitors. Apply J. BULLEN, Jun., Herald Office, Hunter street.

TO LET, HOUSE, 6 rooms, &c., No. 4, Cliff-terrace Wigram-street, Forest Lodge, 20s; also, No. 5, partly furnished, rent 25s. Apply 43, Wigram-street, opposite.

TO LET, Glebe, good HOUSES, 4 rooms and kitchen, each 13s week; also, COTTAGES, &c. Apply to G. T. BEAN, Denham-street, Glebe, opposite the Police Station.

TO LET, one of the largest SHOPS in the main street of Penrith, 5-roomed Dwelling, underground tank, large yard, rent £1 per week. Apply
G. ROBERTSON, High-st., Penrith.

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TO LET, furnished, THE DINGLE, Kirribilli Point, North Shore, water frontage, stables, about 14s. Apply A. C. WISEHEART, offices Messrs. COPE and KING, 139, Pitt-street.

TO LET, pretty Cottage RESIDENCE, in best part Strathfield, 8 rooms, 2 min. station. Family going England. Choice furniture, cost £320, can be taken at valuation. P. O., Box 160.

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TO LET, 3 SHOPS, approaching completion, in busiest part of George street, opposite Cathedral, with extensive back and upstair premises; all modern conveniences. Apply A. J. DAVIS, 40, Sydney Arcade.

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TO LET, Kirribilli Point, North Shore, KILMORE, Pitt-street, 8 rooms and out-offices, nice garden, charming position, 3 minutes from ferry. OATLEY and CAHILL, 70, Elizabeth-street Sydney, and Milson's Point.

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TO LET, detached Cottage RESIDENCE, containing 10 rooms, kitchen, &c., billiard-room, grounds tastefully laid out; commands magnificent views, being situated at Belle Vue, close to Kambala, the residence of Walter Lamb, Esq. WOOLCOTT and SAUNDERS, 18, Castlereagh-street.

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KENT-STREET, near Erskine-street—STORE, No. 311, with side entrance.
BOND-STREET-CHAMBERS—OFFICE on First Floor.
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TO LET, at Lady Robinson Beach, the most charming marine suburb of Sydney, within 25 minutes by rail and tram of the General Post Office, Furnished HOUSES, with sea view, containing dining and drawing rooms, four bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantries, &c.; gas and water laid on; rent, 50s per week.
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TO LET, THAT COMMODIOUS TOWN RESIDENCE, No. 15, PHILLIP-STREET, built by the late R. Binnie, Esq., for his own use, containing wide entrance hall, 13 rooms, bathrooms, kitchen, laundry, scullery, and servants' apartments. The property throughout is in splendid order. Cards to view on application to
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TO BE LET, No. 4, HYDE PARK-TERRACE, Liverpool-street, with stable and coachhouse.
Apply to Dr. SAMPSON, on Premises, or to
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TO LET, a SUPERIOR FURNISHED RESIDENCE, known as MINNESOTA, standing in nicely laid out grounds, fronting JOHNSTON-STREET, ANNANDALE, the late property of E. H. Taylor, Esq.
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COMMODIOUS STORE,
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Courtyard covered in with glass.
The building is specially adapted for carrying enormous weight.
Reduced rent.
Apply on the premises, 97 and 99, YORK-STREET, between the hours of 2 and 4 p.m. daily.

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VICTORIA-ST., Darlinghurst.—To LET, semi-detached HOUSE, containing 9 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, &c. WOOLCOTT and SAUNDERS, 18, Castlereagh-street.

VICTORIA ARCADE,
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ELECTRIC LIGHT to every SHOP,
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SHOP to LET, moderate rent.
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WAVERLEY.—Houses and Cottages, all rents and sizes. Alldis and Co., tram terminus, Waverley.

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WAREHOUSE of 4 Flats and Cellar, with plate-glass Shop Front, gate entrance, also a small Store at rear, both fitted with American hoists, to LET. Apply on Premises, 365, Pitt-street.

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WYNYARD-SQUARE.—To LET, ROOM on the ground floor, suitable for medical man or dentist.
WOOLCOTT and SAUNDERS, 18, Castlereagh-street.

WAREHOUSE, Wynyard-square, corner of York and Erskine streets, first, second and third floors, To LET, separately or together.
For full particulars apply
THE SYDNEY REAL ESTATE BANK, Limited, 108, Pitt-street, Sydney.

## Tenders.

BOROUGH OF ST. LEONARDS.
TENDERS are invited and will be received till 4 p.m. on TUESDAY, the 6th August, 1889, for the following works:—
1. Cutting down and forming Yeo-street.
2. Forming and gravelling Shell Cove-road.
3. Forming and gravelling Raymond-road.
4. For the right to cut grass in St. Leonards Reserve for the ensuing 12 months.
Plans and specifications to be seen at the Engineer's Office, Miller-street.
W. BARNETT SMITH, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, July 29, 1889.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON.
TENDERS will be received up till MONDAY, 5th proximo, for the Cartage of about 400 tons of Blue Metal from Woolloomooloo Bay to Goodhope-street.
Specification may be seen upon application to the undersigned.
GEO. E. BLACKMORE, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, July 26, 1889.

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS are invited until noon SATURDAY, 10th August, for the Erection and Completion of 3 Houses, John and Mill streets Pyrmont. Plans, specifications, and full particulars to be obtained at the office of the Architects, 250, Pitt-street.
A. L. and G. M'CREDIE, Architects and Consulting Engineers.

CEMENT.—TENDERS wanted for the whole amount required for Harrington-street branch of Sydney Sewerage Contract, No. 56, to pass Government test. JONES and ATHERTON, Beresford-chambers.

FERNSIDE, CAMDEN.
TENDERS will be received up to MONDAY, 12th August, for the Lease of 5 years of the above, comprising an area of 40 acres, permanently watered, comfortable Cottage Residence, stable, milk yards, &c., &c.; also, good orchard and vineyard.
Further particulars on application to the Auctioneers.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
W. A. BRODIE and CO., Parramatta.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of HENRY EVANS JONES, late of Broken Hill, Deceased.
TENDERS are invited up to noon of SATURDAY, the 4th August next, for the Purchase of the Curator's Right, Title, and Interest in Stock-in-Trade of the abovenamed deceased, comprising:—

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| Drapery and Millinery | ... | ... | £834 | 9 | 2 |
| Fancy Goods | ... | ... | 25 | 2 | 3 |
| Men's and Boys' Clothing | ... | ... | 554 | 17 | 7 |
| Boots, Ironmongery, &c. | ... | ... | 159 | 7 | 5 |
| | | | £1573 | 16 | 5 |

Tenders to be accompanied by a deposit of 5 per cent., and addressed to the Curator of Intestate Estates, Chancery-square, Sydney.
The highest bidder or any tender not necessarily accepted. Terms, cash.
Stock lists may be inspected, and further particulars obtained, upon application to C. G. GIBSON, Esq., Curator's Agent, Broken Hill; or to the undersigned.
THEO. POWELL, Curator of Intestate Estates.

[69-42] Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 30th July, 1889.
LEASE OF CORPORATION BUILDINGS.
WHARF AND SUSSEX STREETS.
Fresh TENDERS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock on THURSDAY, the 8th of August, for a five years' lease of the buildings at the corner of Wharf and Sussex streets.
HENRY J. DANIELS, Town Clerk.

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TO SYNDICATES, LITHOGRAPHERS, AND OTHERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Purchase, in one lot, of the following valuable Assets of the Phillip-Stephan Photo-Litho and Typographic Process Company, Limited, Sydney, viz.:—
The Patent Rights for the colony of N. S. W.
Lease of Lithographic Premises, 155, Clarence-street, Sydney
Lease of Photographic Gallery, Pitt-street, Sydney
Plant and Machinery, all in first-class working order
Office and Warehouse Fittings
Stock
Goodwill of the Business, and the Australian Graphic Newspaper.
Tenders must be sent in by noon July 31, addressed to the Manager, accompanied by bank draft or marked cheque, for £100 in favour of T. J. Dickson, Esq., solicitor, and B. H. Chapman, Esq., as trustees for the tenderers and for the company.
The said trustees will return the whole of the deposit moneys to unsuccessful tenderers.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Full particulars may be had at the offices of the Phillip-Stephan Company, 155, Clarence-street, Sydney.

TO THEATRICAL MANAGERS, CAPITALISTS, SPECULATORS, &c.
TENDERS are invited for LEASING the UNLET PORTIONS of ST. GEORGE'S HALL, NEWTOWN, viz.,
Theatre 98 x 60, with Stage 31 x 60, Scenery, Fittings, and all necessary appointments; also five Shops, large Assembly Room, Lodge Rooms, Supper Rooms, &c.
The above hall is situated in a densely-populated district, occupies a most commanding site, is most accessible, and is one of the finest and most complete blocks of buildings in the colonies. Portions are already leased to good tenants.
Further particulars may be had on application to the MANAGER, King-street, Newtown, to whom Tenders must be forwarded not later than 1st of September, 1889.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the ERECTION and COMPLETION of a VILLA RESIDENCE at Mary Ann-street, Ultimo.
Plans and specification may be seen at the offices of the undersigned, to whom Tenders are to be delivered on or before FRIDAY, August 9, at 12 o'clock noon.
SHEERIN and HENNESSY, Architects, City-chambers, 245, Pitt-street.

TENDERS invited for Brick Cottage at Botany. Apply for plan and specification to the Architect,
SAMUEL TICKLE, Botany-road, Botany.

TO CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS are invited for Alterations and Additions to Main Building, and also to Stables, of Airedale, Smith-street, Summer Hill, for Dr. Collingwood.
Plans and specification to be seen at the offices of the undersigned, to whom endorsed tenders are to be delivered or or before SATURDAY, August 17, at noon.
COWARD and BELL, Architects, Turkish-chambers, 29, Bligh-street.

TO BLUESTONE QUARRY PROPRIETORS and CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS are invited for Providing and Laying Bluestone Sets, about 315 square yards. For further particulars apply to the undersigned, to whom endorsed tenders are to be delivered on or before SATURDAY, August 3, at 11 a.m.
COWARD and BELL, Architects, Turkish-chambers, 29, Bligh street.

TENDERS are invited from competent persons to Supply and Erect Machinery, &c., for a Cooling and Freezing Room, at Wollongong, for the undersigned. All information obtained before 10th August, when tenders close.
S. M. GANNON, Wollongong.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a Tannery at Springvale, Botany. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of THOMAS GEDDES and CO., 718, Harris-street, Ultimo.

TENDERS for Asphalting Work at Birch Grove House, Balmain. Close THIS DAY.
EDWARD H. BUCHANAN, Architect, 105, King-street.

THE TENDER of Mr. Robert Fielding has been Accepted for three Shops, King-street, Newtown.
RANSOM and HARDY, Architects, Eldon-chambers, 92, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of Two Shops and Dwellings, Enmore road, Newtown. Plans and specification Brown-street, Newtown. THOMAS WHITTLE, Architect.

TO LICENSED DRAINERS.—TENDERS required for Works at Glenmore. Plan, &c., at my offices, 72, Pitt-street.
FERDINAND H. REUSS, Jun., C.E., Architect.

TO PLUMBERS.—TENDERS required for Plumbers' and Drainers' Work, Comber-street, Paddington. Specification and all particulars on the ground. Charles Hellmrich architect, 149, King-st., July 31, 1889.

TO MARBLE MASONS.—TENDERS wanted for Working Marble Slab and Kerbing for grave, also Paving, &c. Apply Mr. J. Young, 256, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TENDERS.—Alex. Matherson, slater,—Call Kerr and Co., 13, Pitt-street.

TENDERS wanted for Painting 7 houses, labour and material, or labour only. 2, Bligh-street, Newtown.

TENDERS for Box Frames and Sashes, Ivery's Hotel, Wilson-st., Golden Grove, Redfern. Labourer.

TENDERS wanted for Graining. E. Horne, builder, Catherine-street, Forest Lodge.

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## LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—TUESDAY, JULY 30.

*In Banco.—(Before their Honors the* CHIEF JUSTICE, *Mr. Justice* WINDEYER, *and Mr. Justice* FOSTER.)

TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS, AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED, V. SHORT.

Mr. C. B. Stephen appeared for the defendant to move for a rule nisi for a new trial. The action, which was one of ejectment, was tried before Mr. Justice Windeyer and a jury of four at Darlinghurst at the beginning of June last, when a verdict was returned for the plaintiffs, and defendant now sought to obtain a rule nisi for a new trial.

The CHIEF JUSTICE: Has not the defendant been made insolvent?

Mr. Stephen said he was so informed, but that would be no bar if the Court gave defendant permission to proceed. The law was different under the present Bankruptcy Act to what it was under the Insolvency Act.

The CHIEF JUSTICE: Ought not there to be an application to the Court to allow the case to go on in order that the Court might, if it saw fit, impose terms, because I understand that this was an action of ejectment? I shall not sit when the case comes on, as I was counsel in the case at one time.

Mr. Stephen said it was true that it was an ejectment action, but bankruptcy might arise out of the costs, and he submitted that it was clearly a case in which the Court would allow proceedings to go on for the purpose of appeal in the matter, upon such terms as the Court thought it necessary to impose. The only question was whether the Court would take the application for leave to go on, or whether it should be a subsequent application.

Mr. Justice FOSTER asked whether it would not be well to have some intimation from the official assignee as to whether he was prepared to continue the appeal.

Mr. O'Connor (who held a watching brief for respondents) said that they had called upon the official assignee under the 6th section to elect whether he would proceed.

Mr. Stephen: That relates to a case where a plaintiff is bankrupt. This is a case where the defendant is the bankrupt.

Mr. Justice FOSTER said that if the official assignee did not choose to go on, why should the defendant go on with it?

Mr. Stephen said that the action was brought against Short because he was in occupation of the land, but it was the property of Mrs. Short, and was bought six or seven years ago.

Mr. Justice FOSTER asked how the ejectment of Short would affect Mrs. Short if she had a separate title.

Mr. Stephen said that she claimed from Short, who purchased and settled the property upon her.

The case was then adjourned until Monday week, and Mr. Justice Windeyer intimated that if leave were granted to the appellant to proceed, the Court could take up the rule nisi.

CHRISTIE V. ROBERTSON.

Mr. Barton, Q.C., and Mr Rolin appeared for the plaintiff, and moved for a rule nisi for a new trial. The action, which was brought by George Christie to recover damages from the defendant James Robertson for libel, was tried before Mr. Justice Windeyer and a jury of four on the 6th and 7th June last, and a verdict was returned in favour of the defendant. A rule nisi was now moved for on the ground that the verdict was against evidence and the weight of evidence.

Mr. Justice WINDEYER said that the case having been tried before him, he might state the facts briefly to the Court. It appeared that plaintiff and defendant had been rival candidates for the position of city auditor, and a year antecedent to the publication of the libel complained of they were also rival candidates. Now, the defendant published an address, in which he claimed to have been the means of exposing certain defalcations in the city accounts: but the friends of Mr. Christie, thinking that Mr. Robertson had overestimated his services and put forward claims to the support of the electors which were exaggerated, thought it well to publish a statement exposing this exaggeration. They, however, considered it undesirable that this should be done by Christie himself, and they then wrote a letter, intending that it should be signed, not by Christie, but by a gentleman who was well known to the electors. Mr. Carter was selected, and that gentleman having read the letter, approved of it, and signed it. He thus made it his own letter, and so it was published. The next thing was that on the day of the polling the defendant caused to be circulated among the electors at the polling-booths the following card:—"Important. City Audit. A clear statement of dishonourable use of another man's name by a candidate for city auditor has been before the public for a week. No notice has been taken of it until to-day, when abuse, not denial, is the only answer. Mr. Christie has had to admit the dishonour, he cannot deny it. Vote for Robertson, a true man." It was not attempted to be denied that the motive for making the charge was simply the publication of this letter signed by Mr. Carter, and which was in point of fact Carter's letter, and the jury were asked to assume that this was merely a fair comment on the letter. He told the jury that a statement of this kind, charging a man with dishonourable conduct, was not mere comment, and if not comment it must be justified. The jury returned a verdict for the defendant, and it appeared to him that the verdict was against evidence, as he did not think the statement complained of could be called mere comment.

Mr. Barton said that the thing which the defendant called "a clear statement of the dishonourable use of a man's name" was exhibit C, which was before the Court.

Mr. Reid: Your Honor forgets the attack made by Christie upon the defendant previous to the election, in regard to which the statement in the card is alleged to be a libel.

Mr. Justice WINDEYER: That does not justify the charge of dishonourable conduct, which the public cannot understand. People who saw this card did not see the other paper; and besides, that is no explanation of it.

Mr. Barton: It is quite competent for persons looking at this card, and having no access to any papers which had gone before, to say, "Why, this man is charged with forgery." There was no plea of justification, and no attempt to prove it on the plea of not guilty. Defendant relied upon exhibit C, and also that he was attacked first. For these reasons the defendant contended that he was entitled to a verdict on the ground of privilege, but he called no evidence to prove justification.

Mr. Justice WINDEYER said that the jury were simply invited to say that it was a fair comment.

The CHIEF JUSTICE said that without expressing any further opinion than had been expressed at present, the Court thought that a rule ought to be granted.

Rule accordingly granted.

CAMPBELL V. NOONAN.

Mr. Field appeared for the plaintiff, and moved for a rule nisi on the ground that the verdict was against evidence. The action, which was brought by Hector Campbell against Patrick Noonan, was one in which the plaintiff sued to recover compensation for alleged negligence by the defendant in driving a horse through the street, in consequence of which the animal bolted, knocked plaintiff down, and severely injured him. The action was tried before the Chief Justice and a jury of four in June last, and resulted in a verdict for the defendant. The main question was whether the defendant was exercising his horse in the street before placing it in his buggy, because if he was and the accident was caused in consequence of that, the plaintiff, it was contended, would be liable for negligence. Counsel referred to the evidence of Elizabeth Barker and Kate Campbell, as showing that defendant was exercising the horse shortly before the accident occurred. His Honor who tried the case directed the jury at the trial that if they thought that defendant was exercising the horse he would be liable, and it was upon that that plaintiff now moved for a rule nisi for a new trial.

The CHIEF JUSTICE: I have no hesitation in saying that I was utterly astounded at the verdict, and looked at the jury in amazement. I was utterly dissatisfied with the verdict, and I think there is only one other verdict since I have been on the bench with which I was so dissatisfied. At the same time, it is a question for the Court whether the verdict should be disturbed.

The rule was granted.

*(Before their Honors Mr. Justice* WINDEYER, *Mr. Justice* STEPHEN, *and Mr. Justice* FOSTER.)

BROUGHTON V. MACKENZIE.

Mr. Pilcher, Q.C., and Dr. Sly appeared for the defendant and moved for a rule nisi for a new trial. The action, which was one for the trial of issues under the Real Property Act, was heard before Mr. Justice Stephen and a jury of four in June last, and a verdict returned in favour of the plaintiff. The land in dispute is situated at Lane Cove River, and the issues were whether the caveator, Thomas Broughton, on the 16th November, 1883, was entitled to the estate in fee-simple of the land, and whether on the 23rd December, 1885, the date of the caveat, Thomas Broughton was entitled to the land in fee-simple or otherwise. Mr. Mackenzie was the applicant and Mr. Broughton the caveator, and at the trial the latter was made plaintiff. The piece of land which was the subject of the inquiry was known as "Turner's Grant," and is situated a little back from the Lane Cove road. Mr. Broughton's case was that he was entitled to the land by deed, and he commenced with a conveyance from one Nichols to himself, in the year 1843, and he also put in a grant from the Crown which was mentioned in his conveyance from Nicholls. The grant from the Crown said this—"I do, by these presents, give and grant to Robert Turner, his heirs and assigns, to have and to hold for ever 25 acres of land, to be known by the name of Turner's Grant, situated at Lane Cove, in the district of Hunter's Hill," &c. Counsel stated that his first point was that the Crown grant was absolutely void, and that it was no grant. It was not like a case in which there was no grant, but plaintiff put this forward as a grant, and his own conveyance mentioned the grant to Turner. He contended that the grant passed nothing, and that the land was still in the Crown. That being so, the conveyance from Nicholls to the plaintiff was of no value, and the Crown ought to take possession of the land. The Crown grant to Turner was dated 1794, but even assuming that it was a good grant, there was no connection in any way between Turner and Nicholls. If it was land known as Turner's land, the plaintiff might have shown what was Turner's land, but the grant said "to be known as Turner's land."

The rule was granted on the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 15th grounds, and also the 5th ground subject to certain conditions.

HARRIS V. BOWMAN.

Dr. Sly appeared for the plaintiff, and moved for a rule nisi for a new trial on various grounds. The action, which was tried at the end of June last before Mr. Justice Stephen and a jury of four, was brought by Percy Barnard Harris against Ellen Bowman to recover for money paid for the use of the defendant. It appeared that Mr. M'Culloch, sen., was acting as solicitor for the defendant in the Equity suit of Bowman v. Elder. She was unsuccessful, and appealed to the Full Court, and, in order to enable her to appeal, the sum of £75 had to be lodged as security. This money was obtained from the plaintiff, who subsequently advanced the sum of £250 as Mrs. Bowman's security in the appeal to the Privy Council after the Full Court had decided against her. The suit was eventually settled, and the plaintiff then brought the action to recover the money advanced.

The rule was granted on the ground that the verdict was against evidence, but the Court expressed a strong opinion that the case should be settled to avoid further costs.

READER V. LORD.

There being no appearance in this case, it was struck out.

MEYER V. COWPER.

Mr. Pilcher, Q.C., and Mr. Pring appeared for the defendant to move for a rule nisi for a new trial. The action, which was one brought by Oscar Meyer against Charles Cowper (Sheriff) to recover compensation for trespass to plaintiff's house and goods, was tried before Mr. Justice Stephen and a jury of four on the 24th and 25th June, on which latter day a verdict was returned for the plaintiff with damages £100. The alleged trespasses were committed by a bailiff named Hughes, who was put into the plaintiff's house by the Sheriff, and who was also charged with having wrongfully expelled the plaintiff and his wife and consumed a portion of plaintiff's beer, besides being guilty of disorderly conduct. The rule was asked for on the grounds, (1) that the verdict was against evidence, (2) that the damages were excessive, (3) that the defendant was not liable for such acts of Hughes as were proved by the plaintiff, and on which the plaintiff based his right to recover against the defendant.

The case was adjourned until the following morning with a view to a settlement, and the Court expressed an opinion that the damages should be reduced to £50, as being ample under the circumstances.

MARSHALL V. DUCHATELL.

Dr. Sly appeared for the defendant, and moved for a rule nisi for a new trial. The action, which was tried at last sittings before Mr. Justice Stephen and a jury of four, was brought to recover the sum of £1275. There were two counts in the plaintiff's declaration, the first being for the lease of an hotel at Silverton, and the other for use and occupation, and a verdict was returned for the plaintiff in the amount claimed. It was now sought to obtain a rule nisi to set the verdict aside.

The rule was refused.

OATLEY'S ESTATE CO. V. M'RAE.

Mr. Rogers, Q.C., appeared for the defendant, and moved for a rule nisi for a new trial on various grounds. The action, which was tried in June last before Mr. Justice Stephen and a jury of four, was brought by the plaintiffs to recover compensation from the defendant for alleged breach of covenant in regard to the erection of buildings on land purchased by the defendant from plaintiffs at Oatley, near Como. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff, with damages £745, in addition to £5 paid into court, and it was now sought to have the verdict set aside.

The rule was granted on the second, fourth, and fifth grounds.

WRIGHT, HEATON, AND CO. V. CASSIN.

Dr. Sly appeared for the plaintiffs in support of a rule nisi for a new trial. The action was a Supreme Court issue tried before Mr. District Court Judge Forbes at Wagga Wagga, and in which the plaintiffs sued to recover for carriage of goods on behalf of the defendant, Robert Cassin. The Judge found a verdict for the defendant, and a rule was moved for on the ground that the verdict was against evidence, and that the finding was erroneous in point of law.

The rule was granted.

*In Equity.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice* OWEN, *Chief Judge in Equity.)*

RODGERS V. TURNER (PART HEARD).

Mr. Gregory Walker, instructed by Mr. F. W. Walker, for Mr. J. A. Gorrick, for the plaintiff; and Mr. Adrian Knox, by Messrs. Thomson and Weekes (for Messrs. Thompson and Windeyer, Newcastle), for the defendant. This was an application made by Joseph Rodgers, of Newcastle, asking that the defendant, William George Turner, might be declared the trustee on behalf of the defendant of a certain house and land at Newcastle, and might be ordered to transfer the same to the plaintiff. The plaintiff's case was that in 1885 he had purchased a certain allotment of land at Carrington, near Newcastle, and, being unable to write, had requested the defendant to sign the auctioneer's sale-book. Plaintiff had also paid to the defendant and his wife various sums of money, amounting to about £250, to be applied solely on the plaintiff's account in the payment of the purchase-money for the land, and in erecting a house on it. When the house was completed and let, the defendant had claimed the rent, and plaintiff had thereupon taken possession of the house. The defendant in January, 1887, executed a deed of transfer of the property to his wife, who had since died and devised the whole of the property to her children, and appointed the defendant sole executor. The plaintiff had endeavoured to obtain the certificate of title from the defendant, and to induce him to execute a transfer, but without success, and therefore he claimed relief from the Court. The defence was that the defendant, who is the son-in-law of the plaintiff, had asked the plaintiff to bid for him at the sale, which the plaintiff had done, and the land had been knocked down to the defendant, who had signed the contract. It was denied that the plaintiff had paid money to the defendant for the purchase of the land, or for the erection of a dwelling-house thereon. The purchase money was paid by the defendant's wife, and the property had been transferred to defendant's wife, who had left it by will to the defendant's children, to whom it was claimed the property now belonged, and who, it was asked, should be made parties to the suit.

The evidence was concluded, and his Honor delivered judgment. He stated that the main issues to be decided were those of fact, which he had to deal with as a jury. The evidence, he pointed out, was adverse to the defendant, although he was necessarily rather handicapped owing to the fact that a large amount of the evidence given on behalf of the plaintiff related to conversations with the defendant's wife, who had since died, and the evidence therefore could not be controverted. The defendant's wife was alleged to have made a number of admissions with regard to the real ownership of the property, and his Honor considered that he could not avoid accepting the evidence of this kind brought on behalf of the plaintiff, as nothing had been brought forward to show that it was unreliable. A number of witnesses had given evidence with regard to these conversations, and they all agreed on the main points. The plaintiff's evidence with regard to the advances of money for the land, and for erecting buildings was uncontroverted, and he therefore found for the plaintiff, and decreed that the defendant was trustee on behalf of the plaintiff for the land and buildings.

BURNS AND OTHERS V. ALLEN AND OTHERS.

Mr. A. H. Simpson and Mr. Watkins, instructed by Messrs. Burns and Burns, for the plaintiffs, and Mr. G. Walker and Mr. B. R. Wise, instructed by Messrs. Allen and Allen, for the defendants. This was an action brought with regard to a grant of Crown land at Botany, the plaintiffs being Jno. Fitzgerald Burns, James Green, and George Withers, and the defendants Reginald Charles Allen, George Colquhoun, and Mary Stedman. The plaintiffs' case was that the land in question was granted in 1810 to one Dr. Robert Townson, and by subsequent transfers came, in 1882, into the possession of Thos. Perrott, who granted a lease of 13½ acres to John Nobbs. In 1883 Nobbs transferred the lease to the plaintiffs, the trustees of the Sydney Permanent Freehold Land and Building Society. Thos. Perrott died in 1886, and by his will bequeathed his property to the defendant, Mary Stedman, and appointed the other defendants as trustees. In August, 1883, the plaintiffs notified the defendants that they were willing to purchase the land on the terms mentioned in the agreement of 1882. The defendants had always admitted their obligation to convey to the plaintiffs their interest in the land, but they considered that they were entitled to be paid at the rate of £80 per acre for all the land originally granted to Dr. Townson, or 67a. 1r. 27p., without allowing any compensation for the rights of the Crown, or any exceptions or reservations contained in the said Crown grant, and the defendants refused to transfer their interest except on these terms. The plaintiffs claimed that they were entitled to deduct from the purchase money such sum as should be found to be a fair compensation in respect of these rights and reservations, and they therefore asked for a declaration from the Court to this effect, and also for an enquiry into the amount of the purchase money to be paid for the property mentioned, and that upon payment of this amount the defendants should be ordered to execute a transfer of the land to the plaintiffs. The defence was that the reservation contained in the Crown grant of "a road 100ft. wide on the banks" was void for repugnancy and uncertainty, and further that the Crown having made a road running through the whole length of the lands in the grant could not now insist upon the reservation of a road on the banks, even if such reservation were otherwise valid and effectual. The defendants therefore submitted that the plaintiffs should pay for the whole area of 67 acres at the rate of £80 per acre, which the defendants were willing to accept, or else that the suit be dismissed with costs. The case was opened by counsel, and the hearing was then adjourned.

*Divorce Court.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice* WINDEYER.)

CONWAY V. CONWAY.

Mr. Cohen appeared for the petitioner Emma Conway, and moved to dispense with further service upon the respondent, on the ground that he is now an inmate of Darlinghurst gaol, under sentence for bigamy. The application was granted, and the issues were settled for trial, as marriage on September 9, 1886, adultery, bigamy, and desertion. Suit to be heard on 6th August, without a jury.

*In Bankruptcy.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice* DEFFELL.)

MOTIONS FOR RELEASE.

Re George Baumann. Mr. Rich appeared on behalf of bankrupt, and applied for the release of the estate, which was granted.

Re T. H. Sinclair. No appearance, and case struck out.

Re Bernard Kahn. The bankrupt appeared in person, and applied for the release of his estate. His Honor ordered that the bankrupt should verify and file a statement under rule 20 within 10 days, and to state by affidavit when the bill of sale was really executed, the consideration therefor, and the manner in which the proceeds had been disposed of, within six weeks. He was also ordered to procure a special meeting of his creditors, for proof of debt and to account for his insolvency. The hearing was adjourned until the third Tuesday in February next.

Re James M'Donald. On the application of Mr. Lamb, instructed by Mr. F. W. Walker, an order for the release of this estate was granted.

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re Thomas Eggleston. Mr. Mahony appeared on behalf of the bankrupt, and applied for a certificate. His Honor, after considering the official assignee's report, ordered the insolvent to file a supplementary schedule, under rules 22 and 23, within six weeks, and also to procure a special meeting of his creditors for proof of debt, and to account for his insolvency. The hearing was adjourned until the third Tuesday in February next.

Certificates were ordered to issue in the estates of James Smith and Henry Wann, sen.

Re Samuel Gregory Bowler. An application was made by Mr. Broad for a certificate. His Honor ordered the bankrupt to file an affidavit explanatory of the evidence which had been given by him, and the hearing was ordered to stand over until Tuesday, the 20th August next.

MEETINGS FOR PROOF.

Re Joseph Parry. One debt was proved, and the meeting terminated.

Re William Pidgeon. Mr. Passmore appeared for a creditor, in support of a claim already entered, and the claim was admitted.

*(Before the* REGISTRAR, *at 10 a.m.)*

CLAIM FOR PROOF.

RE HENRY JOHN HAWKINS—EX PARTE SARAH ENGLAND.

The Registrar delivered judgment as follows:—This estate was sequestrated 7th September, 1888. Mr. Joseph Israel at that time held a bill of sale over the stock and furniture of the bankrupt, Mrs. England being the owner of the shop and dwellinghouse occupied by the bankrupt. After sequestration Mr. Israel had several interviews with the official assignee, and with his knowledge proceeded to sell the goods under his bill of sale, and gave a cheque to Mrs. England for £60, amount of rent owing, the official assignee having said to him that "the rent must be paid out of the proceeds of the sale, and it does not matter whether you or I pay it." After the sale was completed the official assignee brought an action against Israel to recover the proceeds of the sale, and the jury gave a verdict for the official assignee for £277 8s. 6d., the exact amount of the proceeds of the sale. Israel then claimed to have back the cheque he had paid to Mrs. England; the amount was returned to him on condition of its being repaid to her if her proof against the estate was not admitted. Mrs. England then put in her proof for £58 10s., which was objected to by the official assignee, and was entered for hearing on the 25th instant, when Mr. Cohen appeared as counsel for the official assignee, and Mr. Israel, the official assignee, and Mr. E. W. Perkins (his solicitor) were examined and cross-examined by Mr. Lewis Levy, solicitor for Israel. Mr. Cohen contended that the claim could not be admitted, as Mr. Israel, to enable him to realise under his bill of sale, had paid the rent. That Mrs. England accepted payment of and gave a receipt to Mr. Israel for all rent owing at date of sequestration. That the jury in the trial of Stephen v. Israel were aware of this when they assessed damages; and though Mrs. England had given a cheque for the amount of the rent to Israel's solicitor, it was only on the consideration (agreed to) that the same shall be returned if she fails to prove against the estate. She is, therefore, now attempting to prove solely on behalf of Israel, as she has in fact got all that is owing to her, and by allowing Israel to take away the goods she deliberately abandoned her remedy. Counsel also sought to prove that the goods were sold below their value, and that the jury would have awarded higher damages if they had known that the official assignee would have to pay the rent. Mr. Lewis Levy contended that Mrs. England could prove for the rent; that the arrangement between the claimant and Israel does not do away with the obligation of the bankrupt; that the estate is still liable for the rent, and Mrs. England is the only person who can prove for it; that the money was paid by Israel with the knowledge and approval of the official assignee; that counsel for the official assignee at the trial of Stephen v. Israel expressly objected that the payment of the rent by Israel could not be taken into consideration by the jury in assessing the damages; that evidence was given at the trial that the goods fetched over their value; that the estate, being still liable for the rent, proof can be admitted; that Israel cannot prove, as he did not pay the money by request of the bankrupt. Copy of Judge's notes, Stephen v. Israel, put in with consent of both parties. I am of opinion that the declaration of the official assignee admitting liability should be received as evidence, also that the jury in Stephen v. Israel did not take the payment of rent by Israel into consideration in assessing the damages; that the goods were sold for their full value; that the liability existing at the date of sequestration still remains; that Mrs. England and Israel could make what arrangements they liked between themselves. Their arrangement did not absolve the bankrupt from his liability, and does not prevent Mrs. England now proving against the estate. I therefore admit the debt at the amount claimed.

## LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—WEDNESDAY, JULY 31.

Term List.—Motions Nisi for New Trial: Livingstone v. Sutherland, Meyer v. Cowper, Want v. Moss and wife, Foong Tuck v. On Lee, A. J. S. Bank v. Costello. New Trial Motions: Mack and another v. M'Philamy, Fergusson and another v. Walker, Felton and others v. Sherry and others.

Chamber List.—At 9.30 a.m.: Splatt v. Splatt; Wright, Heaton, and Co. v. Madden, O'Brien claimant; Armstrong v. the Commercial Banking Company; M'Lean v. Armstrong; Cansdell v. Australasian Trust Management, Assurance, and I. Company; in re A. A. Shorter, gent., one, &c., to deliver bill of costs; Wilson v. Brierley, Tucker and Co. garnishees; O'Sullivan v. Vernon, Williamson, Garner, and Musgrove garnishees.

Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.—Before his Honor Mr. Justice Deffell, at 10 a.m.: Motions for probates and administrations, motions to pass accounts and for commission.

Divorce Court.—Before the Registrar: Payten v. Payten, 9.30.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Prothonotary: Fitzpatrick v. Ashton, 9.30; Curry v. Gray, 11; Sweeney v. Gray, 11.30; Nelson v. Ivey, 12; in re gent, one, &c., 2.15. Before Chief Clerk: Nichols v. Chapman, 10.30; London Chartered Bank v. Davies, 10.30; Vickery and others v. Thirgood, 10.45; M'Donald v. Nowland, 10.45; The Mortgage, Guarantee, and Mercantile Finance Corporation of New South Wales v. Thompson and others, 11; Hudson Brothers v. Vickers, 11; National Bank v. Graham, 11.15; Cornwell v. M'Sullea, 11.30.

In Equity.—Chancery-square, at 11 a.m., before his Honor the Chief Judge: Burns and others v. Allen and others, part heard.

Master's Office.—At 10.30 a.m., Wheeler v. Wheeler, to settle minutes; at 10.45 a.m., Monro and others v. Goodsell and another, to sign report; at 11 a.m., Powell v. Bellamy, to settle draft report; at 11.30 a.m., re Frank Norrie, gent., one, &c., to tax costs; at 12 noon, Strettles v. O'Brien, to settle minutes; at 12.30 p.m., Haviland v. M'Cleary, to proceed on accounts; at 2 p.m., New South Wales B., L., and I. Company, to settle list of contributories. Before the Chief Clerk: At 11 a.m., Thurston v. Thurston, to tax costs.

BANKRUPTCY BUSINESS.

Wednesday.—Jesse William White, Harry Blakmore Boulton, public examination; James Graham, motion for release of estate; William Cappons, William Gowand. At 10 a.m., before the Registrar: William Spark Galbraith, adjourned, hearing in proof of Thomas Osborne, Springfield; George Hawkins, Charles Porter, adjourned public examination; John Ptolemy, Herbert William Mann, adjourned single meeting and public examination.

Thursday.—Holiday.

Friday.—William Spark Galbraith, adjourned public examination; J. P. Higgins and P. J. Murphy, adjourned examination of witnesses; William Marlow, Frederick Lamb, August Thomas Alpens, certificate applications; George Hunter Doake v. William James Lovett, hearing of creditors' petition; Francis Picard, examination under rule 71; Annie Chardar, Arthur Dempsey, certificate applications; the London Chartered Bank of Australia v. James Fletcher; Charles Gardner and George Moses Pollard Wheatley v. Henry Hall, hearing of creditors' petition; Hylton Railt Suttor, adjourned hearing of order nisi for attachment for non-compliance with order to furnish trading accounts. At 10 a.m., before the Registrar: X. M. Morell, hearing on proof of James Poole; John Barlow, hearing on proof of the Great Western Gold-mining Company, Limited.

## LICENSING MEETING.

The weekly meeting at the Metropolitan Licensing Bench was held at noon yesterday at the Central Police Court, Mr. G. O'Malley Clarke, S.M., and Mr. John Macintosh, L.M., presiding. The following transfers of publicans' licenses were granted:—John Malumby to Margaret Webster, Oxford Hotel, Newtown; Robert Stenhouse to Jones Hefferman, Braidwood Hotel, Foveaux-street; Louis Simonsen to William Champion, Surry Hills Hotel, Surry Hills; William B. Larcombe to Henry Anderson, Rosedale Hotel, Darlington; John Talbot to James Cull, Salutation Hotel, Redfern; John Stewart to Philip Owen, Emu Inn, Sydney; Sampson Curnow to Frederick Cooper, Courthouse Hotel, Newtown. Several booth, hawkers, and pawnbrokers' licenses, together with a number of music permits, were also granted.

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## POLICE.

Mr. C. Delohery, S.M., presided at the CENTRAL POLICE COURT yesterday morning. Charles Homes and Joseph Henry Leonard, alias Maguire, were each ordered to pay 40s., with the alternative of 21 days' imprisonment, for riotous behaviour in Riley-street. Homes was further fined 20s., or, in default, seven days' imprisonment, for assaulting a constable whilst in the execution of his duty. Charles Hassal and Mary Burns appeared in answer to a charge of stealing two towels, one shirt, and a pair of drawers, valued at 3s., the property of Mary Murphy. Prosecutrix deposed that she missed the articles from her yard early on Saturday morning last; she next saw them in the possession of the police. Constable Carmody deposed that he saw the two prisoners going along Goulburn-street on Saturday, arm in arm; he noticed a bundle under the male prisoner's arm; witness asked him what it was, and he replied, "Nothing." Prosecutrix identified the articles produced as her property. Accused were each sentenced to two months' imprisonment, with hard labour. John Brown and James Johnson were brought up on a charge of being suspected persons frequenting Harbour-street with intent to commit a felony. Constable Carmody deposed to seeing the two prisoners in Harbour-street, in front of M'Lean Brothers and Rigg's stores. He watched them, and saw Brown go into a yard across the road, while Johnson stayed outside. As soon as Johnson saw witness coming, he whistled to the man inside, and Brown rushed out into the road. He then arrested the two prisoners, and on the way to the station witness asked Johnson what he was doing there, but Brown said, "Mum's the word; don't split." Witness then went back to the yard and found the office-door open, and a lot of stuff and books in there. Corroborative evidence was given by Constable Travers. Johnson was discharged, but Brown was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour. In the Summons Branch of the Central Police Court, a man named Sidney Smith pleaded guilty to an information charging him with committing a breach of the Betting Houses Suppression Act in using a place, No. 23, Park-street, for the purpose of money being received upon a certain horse-race run at Rosehill course on the 20th July. Defendant was fined £5 and two guineas cost; in default, 14 days in gaol. Phil Thompson was also involved in a like penalty for having committed a breach of the Act in exhibiting a placard outside a shop, No. 93, King-street, with intent to induce persons to resort thither for the purpose of making wagers. A man named Harry Marsden was sentenced to two months' imprisonment, with hard labour, for having committed an assault upon one Ida Dawes, by striking her several times in the face with his fist.

Mr. A. M. Fisher, S.M., disposed of the business in the Charge Division of the WATER POLICE COURT, and Mr. Benjamin Lee, D.S.M., presided in the Summons Division. William Pearce, 44, cabman, was fined 20s., or seven days' gaol, for being drunk in Bourke-street whilst in charge of a horse and cab. John Murphy, 38, no occupation, was sentenced to a month's imprisonment for having insufficient lawful means of support. William Hutchinson, 27, fireman, was fined 20s., or 14 days' gaol, for using obscene language in the Adelaide Restaurant, King-street, whilst open to the public. William George Horton, alias M'Crea, 17, florist, and Frank Robinson, 18, jockey, were charged that they did burglariously break and enter the Golden Fleece Hotel, Crown-street, and steal therein a silver watch, gold albert, lady's dress ring, silver brooch, and a number of antique coins, value in all £5, the property of Henry Walters. When the case was called on the prosecutor did not appear, and the prisoners were therefore discharged.

Mr. Addison, S.M., presided at the ST. LEONARDS COURT. Alexander John Sherwin, for being drunk, was fined 5s., and £1 for refusing to quit licensed premises when requested to do so. He was further fined 25s. for breaking glass. Henry Anderson was charged with having been on the premises of Joseph Waterhouse for an unlawful purpose. It was stated that the accused had come over to see his fiancée, and had got into the wrong yard by mistake. The magistrate said that there appeared to be no felonious intent, and discharged the accused. Ah Wong was charged with having no visible lawful means of support. He was further charged with begging alms. He was sentenced to 14 days' gaol. George Buckingham was summoned for disobeying an order for the maintenance of his wife. He was remanded for a week. William Proctor, aged 12, was charged with throwing stones and breaking gas lamps. The manager of the Gas Company stated that a great number of lamps had been broken. The defendant offered to pay the damage, 7s. 6d., and the case was withdrawn. H. Vickers was fined 5s. for keeping a savage dog.

Mr. W. Johnson, S.M., presided at the REDFERN POLICE COURT. Alice Wilson, alias Charlotte Thompson, no occupation, was ordered to be imprisoned for two months for stealing a quantity of picture rod brackets, value 28s., the property of John Pearce. Prisoner, it appears, was seen outside prosecutor's shop, and some time after she was seen with the brackets. Charles Gilligan, 23, labourer, was fined 10s, or two days' gaol, for misconduct in Shepherd-street, Redfern. When Constable Gordon arrested Gilligan, a man named William Connelly, 25, a labourer, attempted a rescue, and at the same time made use of threatening language to the constable. For resisting the constable, Connelly was fined £5, or three months' gaol; and for the bad language he received a similar penalty, the sentences to be cumulative. William Johnson, 13, was charged by warrant that, being under the age of 16 years, he was found habitually wandering about the streets in no ostensible lawful occupation. He was ordered to be sent to the Vernon, his father to pay 5s. per week towards his support. Nils Edward Olsen, licensee of the Captain Cook Hotel, Botany, was fined £3, with 5s. 6d. costs, or 14 days' gaol, on a charge of delaying admittance to the police. Henry South was ordered to pay 12s. per week for 12 months towards the support of his wife, Annie South.

Messrs. H. Byrne and G. Wickham, Js.P., disposed of the business at the PARRAMATTA POLICE COURT. Thomas M'Crorey was fined 40s., or 14 days, for using obscene language on the Granville railway station. For assaulting the railway official in charge, he was ordered to be imprisoned for 14 days. The sentences were made cumulative. From the evidence of the railway official, it appears that the defendant was sleeping on the platform, and, when roused up, he violently attacked and kicked the porter.

## FALSE PRETENCES AND EMBEZZLEMENT.

A young man named Ernest Thurston, alias Mason or Edwards, was charged at the Water Police Court yesterday (before Mr. A. M. Fisher, S.M.) with obtaining the sum of £2 10s. from Messrs. Turner and Henderson by means of a false pretence, to wit, a valueless cheque. Constable Taylor gave evidence to the effect that he arrested the accused, and charged him with the offence. In reply, he said he knew nothing about it; witness produced a cheque-book, which he found on Thurston when he was arrested on the 22nd instant. George Lavender, a clerk in the employ of Messrs. Turner and Henderson, said that on the afternoon of the 16th instant the prisoner presented the cheque produced, and said Messrs. Warren and Rown had sent him to get it cashed; believing his statement to be true, witness gave the accused the sum of £2 10s.; the cheque was for £2 10s., and was drawn on the A. J. S. Bank, and signed "A. B. Wilson": the cheque was afterwards presented at the bank, and returned marked "no account." Max Rown, a member of the firm of Warren and Rown, said the prisoner had been in the employ of the firm for about two months; he thought the writing on the cheque produced was his. The accused was committed to take his trial at the next Court of Quarter Sessions, to be held at Darlinghurst on August 5. Thurston was then charged with embezzling the sum of £3 16s. 4d., the money of his employers, Max Rown and Thomas William Warren, trading as Warren and Rown, Barrack-street. Constable Taylor, in giving evidence as to the arrest of the accused on this charge, said he found a cheque-book (containing seven cheques filled in) in his possession. Max Rown said the accused was in the employ of the firm as junior and shipping clerk; he had no power to collect money, but he did collect the sum of £3 6s. from George Boyne, licensee of the Brisbane Café, George-street, telling the latter that he had called on behalf of his employers. The accused pleaded guilty to the charge, and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour. A further charge against the accused of obtaining 10lb. of tobacco, value £2 5s., from Cameron Brothers by means of a false pretence, was not proceeded with.

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ADVANCES made on all Classes of Security.
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Ample Funds are now available, and advances are made without delay upon approved freehold or leasehold securities at moderate rates of interest. Advances to purchase or build.

Easy terms of repayment.

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THE Advertiser, having a considerable Capital at his disposal, is prepared to make immediate CASH ADVANCES at an extremely LOW RATE OF INTEREST, on all descriptions of Securities, without the necessity of a Bill of Sale or any publicity whatever.

Loans may be repaid as under:—
Loan of £100, repayable by monthly instalments of £2 5s
Loan of £50, repayable by monthly instalments of £1 10s
Loan of £20, repayable by monthly instalments of £1
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All communications strictly private.
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THE REAL AND PERSONAL MORTGAGE AND ADVANCE COMPANY.

FIRST FLOOR, 16, OXFORD-STREET, opp. Mark Foy's. Office Hours: Daily, 9 to 5; Monday Evenings, 7 to 9.

The above-named Company make immediate CASH ADVANCES on the following low scale of interest:—

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| Persons borrowing £10 receive | ... | ... | £9 6 8 |
| " " £20 receive | ... | ... | 18 13 4 |
| " " £30 receive | ... | ... | 28 0 0 |
| " " £40 receive | ... | ... | 37 6 8 |
| " " £50 receive | ... | ... | 46 13 4 |

And in proportion to any amount required.

ADVANCES MADE on ANY TANGIBLE SECURITY.

LONDON LOAN AND DISCOUNT BANK, 109, ELIZABETH-STREET (next High School). OLDEST and most RELIABLE Office in the Colonies.

IMMEDIATE ADVANCES on Bills of Sale, Pro. Notes, Deposit of Deeds, &c., &c., at MODERATE Rates and WITHOUT DELAY.

Specialty.—BILLS DISCOUNTED DAILY.

UTMOST CONFIDENCE can be RELIED UPON.

Address the MANAGER.

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MONEY ADVANCED on the shortest notice on Furniture (without possession), Stock-in-Trade, Deeds, Bonded Certificates, and all classes of securities.

Repayments can be arranged to the borrower's convenience.

Bills discounted daily at lowest rates of interest.

Business transacted promptly, and with strictest privacy.

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HENRY A. BIRKMYRE, Manager.

Hours, 9 to 6 p.m. Saturdays and Mondays, 6 to 9 p.m.

MACRO AND MICHELMORE, 135, King-street.

MONEY to LEND on all classes of Property, including land and houses during erection.

TO INVESTORS.—For SALE, in large or small parcels, SHARES in the leading Building Companies, returning 8 and 9 per cent. on investment. Call or write for particulars, D. HAZLEWOOD, 70, Pitt-street.

MONEY for Investment on mortgage, at lowest rates of interest. Apply to W. W. BILLYARD, ANDREWS, and MOSELY, Solicitors, 34, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

MONEY to LEND on mortgage of city and suburban Properties, from 5½ per cent. Loans and all financial business transacted; bills discounted. J. M. GREIG and CO., No. 3, Beaumont-chambers, 90, King-street.

MONEY to LEND, upon City and Suburban Property. AUSTRALIAN WIDOWS' FUND LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Limited, 283, George-street.

DEBENTURES, Broken Hills, Fed. Banks, Goldsbrough's, bought. Wilder Griffiths, Collins-st., Mel.

TRUST FUNDS.—To LEND, Sums to suit borrowers. J. E. Handcock, Pomeroy-cham., C'reagh-st.

TRUST Funds for Investment upon Mortgage. Cope and King, solicitors, 159, Pitt-street, Sydney.

MONEY to LEND, in various sums, on approved security. Creagh and Williams, Bridge-st.-chambers.

TRUST MONEY to LEND on Mortgage. Apply Thomas Read, solicitor, 133, King-street.

MOSSMAN'S BAY—Lovely, Picturesque, and most popular Marine Suburb of Sydney.—BOWDEN'S SUBDIVISION, well situated, commanding lovely views, and near ferry, to be sold SATURDAY, August 10, on the ground.

[...]YRE, Auctioneers.

THE LAND, MORTGAGE, LOAN AND DISCOUNT COMPANY, Limited.

(Incorporated under the Companies Act.) Capital, £75,000, with power to increase. Head Office: KING and YORK STREETS.

Loans granted on Real and Personal Property, including Life Insurance Policies, Bills of Sale, registered or otherwise.
Advances made on all classes of Securities
Money lent on Mortgage
Life Interests purchased
Bills Discounted daily without unnecessary delay
All Financial Business transacted
Agency and Trust Business of all kinds conducted
Assets in Assigned, Insolvent, or other Estates purchased
Composition to Creditors guaranteed
Deposits received at current rates.
HUGH SHARPE, Acting Manager.

MORTGAGES negotiated at current rates. B. H. Chapman, finance agent, 127, King-street.

## Public Companies.

THE SYDNEY REAL ESTATE BANK, Limited.

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| AUTHORISED CAPITAL ... | £1,000,000 |
| SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL ... | 500,000 |
| PAID-UP CAPITAL ... | 75,000 |

OFFICES—108, PITT-STREET.

DIRECTORS: J. W. CLIFF, Esq., Chairman.
MAURICE ARON, Esq., J.P. (Messrs. Wallach Bros.)
JOHN BEVERIDGE, Esq., J.P. (Messrs. G. Griffiths and Co.)
J. B. CHRISTIAN, Esq.
J. Y. MILLS, Esq., J.P. (Messrs. Mills and Pile).

Real and Leasehold Estates Purchased.
DEPOSITS RECEIVED AT CURRENT RATES.
Sale and purchase of properties negotiated. Financial business arising out of real estate, and general banking business transacted. Agency and trustee matters undertaken.
LOUIS C. HENDERSON, Manager.

THE AUSTRAL BANKING AND LAND PROPRIETARY. (PHILLIPS and CO.)

RESERVE CAPITAL ACCOUNT, £250,000.

RESERVE FUND, £81,431 10s 10d.

TOTAL ASSETS OVER LIABILITIES, £311,431 10s 10d.

HEAD OFFICE, Sydney, New South Wales.

MELBOURNE OFFICE, 464, Collins-street.

LONDON OFFICE, 1, Queen Victoria-st., E. C.

BRANCH OFFICES: NEW SOUTH WALES—Liverpool, Penrith, and Burwood.

VICTORIA—Lara.

RATES for FIXED DEPOSITS over £20:—

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| 7½ per cent. | for | 3 years |
| 7 per cent. | for | 12 months |
| 6 per cent. | for | 6 months |
| 5 per cent. | for | 3 months. |

BALANCE-SHEETS and FURTHER INFORMATION may be OBTAINED on APPLICATION to J. S. F. COWELL, Manager, 6, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

THE SYDNEY DEPOSIT AND DISCOUNT BANK. 90, KING-STREET. Established, 1885.

AGENCIES in LONDON and THROUGHOUT AUSTRALIA.

The following are the rates of interest allowed for FIXED DEPOSITS:—

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| 2 years ... | 9½ per cent. |
| 12 months ... | 8½ per cent. |
| 6 months ... | 7½ per cent. |
| 3 months ... | 5½ per cent. |

For the past three years a bonus of one per cent. has been paid in addition to the above rates.

Overdrafts granted against Deposit of Deeds, and all usual Banking Business transacted.

Communications from the country will be promptly attended to.

T. S. RICHARDSON, General Manager.

THE AUSTRALIAN MERCANTILE LOAN AND GUARANTEE CO., Limited.

Incorporated under Companies Act, 1872.

Capital, £500,000.

Sydney, Corner of Market and York streets.

Melbourne Branch—283, Collins-street East (next door to National Bank of Australasia).

Brisbane Branch—Corner Edward and Elizabeth streets.

Newcastle Branch—Hunter-street.

Money Lent upon Mortgage from £50 upwards to any amount, repayable by instalments extending from 1 to 7 years, at current rates of interest, viz., 6 per cent. to 10 per cent. per annum.

For building or otherwise improving freehold land the Company offers special facilities.

Progress advances made upon buildings in course of erection, upon architect's certificate.

The Company also grant immediate advances upon Deeds of Land, Bills of Lading, Merchandise, Storage, and Bond Certificates, and all classes of Mercantile or other approved securities, for fixed terms or repayable by instalments.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS—
3 months, 6 per cent.
6 " 7 "
12 " 8 "
and a bonus declared to deposits of 12 months, renewal, 2 per cent.; 6 months, 1½ per cent.

Arrangements can be made to withdraw deposits at any time on demand.

By order of the Board of Directors, RUSSELL MARSHALL, Manager.

COMPTOIR NATIONAL D'ESCOMPTE de PARIS.

Capital ... 40,000,000 francs (£1,600,000).

HEAD OFFICE: 14, RUE BERGERE, PARIS.
Chairman of Board of Directors—L. DENORMANDIE, Senator (Late Governor of the Bank of France).

Branches at France—Lyons, Marseilles, and Nantes; London, Bombay, Calcutta, Shanghai, Melbourne, and Tamatave (Madagascar).

Sub-Agencies.—Hongkong, Foochow, Hankow, Tien-Tsin, Yokohama, San Francisco, Sydney, and Tananarive (Madagascar.)

Sydney: 87, Pitt-street. C. Shard, Manager.

The Sydney agency grants drafts and letters of credit, and purchases or collects bills payable at the abovenamed places and others. The Agency will conduct banking business of every description with the Continent, India, China, &c., upon terms to be ascertained at the office.

FEDERAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS.

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| Subscribed Capital ... | £800,000 |
| Paid-up Capital ... | £400,000 |
| Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits ... | £105,694 |

DEPOSITS RECEIVED on INTEREST at CURRENT RATES for 3, 6, and 12 Months.

All usual Banking Business transacted.

EBENEZER MACDONALD, Manager.

THE MORTGAGEE, GUARANTEE AND MERCANTILE FINANCE CORPORATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Limited.

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| AUTHORISED CAPITAL ... | £1,000,000 |
| SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL ... | 250,000 |

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: A. HOFFNUNG, Esq., Chairman.
W. H. ARMSTRONG, Esq. | H. C. FRASER, Esq.
JNO. BEVERIDGE, Esq. | E. P. TRUMAN, Esq.
Hon. GEORGE CAMPBELL, M.L.C.

This Corporation makes THE NEGOTIATION OF MORTGAGES FOR FIXED PERIODS A SPECIAL FEATURE IN ITS BUSINESS.

It acts as BROKER between THOSE REQUIRING TO BORROW and THOSE DESIRING TO LEND. It is also prepared to GUARANTEE ANY MORTGAGE IT MAY RECOMMEND.

IT RECEIVES MONEY ON DEPOSIT, and allows INTEREST at the following rates:—
4 per cent. per annum at call
4½ per cent. per annum at 3 months
5 per cent. per annum at 6 months
6 per cent. per annum at 12 months
6½ per cent. per annum for longer periods.
HENRY A. SHERIDAN, Manager.
Union-chambers, 70, Pitt-street.

MOSSMAN'S BAY—Lovely, Picturesque, and most popular Marine Suburb of Sydney.—BOWDEN'S SUBDIVISION, well situated, commanding lovely views, and near ferry, to be sold SATURDAY, August 10, on the ground.

CLARKE and M'INTYRE, Auctioneers.

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## Auction Sales.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
On account of whom it may concern. With all faults.

Ex Orontes, from London.
161 WICKER JARS, 2-gallon.

To Glass and China Warehousemen, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS, CASH.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under Instructions from the Importers.

Ex Cadwgan, Durham, and Falls of Dee.

63 Packages GLASSWARE, comprising—
ETCHED TUMBLERS and SHERRIES, Moulded Tumblers
MOULDED TUMBLERS, 5 to quart; Thin Plain NOBBLERS
CARAFFES and UPS, Engraved, Plain, and Cut
GREEN HOCKS, Engraved JUGS, PORTS, and SHERRIES
Bijou Illuminators, Covered Sugars and Butters
CREAMS, Cupped Salad BOWLS, WATER SETS
&c., &c., &c.

To Glass and China Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
Under Instructions from the Importers.
Ex Cairnbulg, from London.

5 Casks TEA SETS (each 40 pieces)
4 Crates White and Gold TEAS, MUGS, and CREAMS
3 Ditto GRANITE PLATES, 8in.
4 Ditto ditto, 10in.
10 Cases BREAKFAST TEAS
4 Ditto ASSORTED BREAKFAST WARE
5 Ditto MUFFINS and BAKERS
2 Ditto DINNER SETS, printed
3 Ditto OYSTER BOWLS, White Granite
5 Ditto C.C. MOULDS, 12 to 36 inch
3 Ditto Printed and Gilt PLATES and DISHES
4 Ditto Printed TOILET SETS
7 Ditto C.C. BAKERS, 5 to 12 inch
15 Ditto assorted TOILET and TEA WARE
&c., &c., &c.

To China and Glass Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Consignees.

2 Cases ASSORTED PERFUMERY
2 ditto ditto HAIR BRUSHES
1 ditto DRAWING SLATES
1 ditto METAL SPOONS
3 ditto FANCY GOODS
&c., &c.

To Fancy Repositories, Storekeepers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS CASH.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

OPEN and DISPLAYED SALE BY AUCTION of 30 Cases SUPERIOR GLASS and CHINA WARE, FANCY GOODS, &c.

Just Landed, ex Loch Eck, from London.

THIS SPLENDID SHIPMENT embraces
HANDSOME TEA SERVICES, CUPS and SAUCERS,
Hand-painted DRESDEN PLATES and MUGS
Hand-painted, Ornamented, and Gilt VASES
CAKE BASKETS, CABARETS
Handsome DESSERT SERVICES, DESSERT PLATES
TRINKET STANDS LIGHTHOUSE FLOWER STANDS
COLOURED BIJOU ILLUMINATORS
PLUSH and CHINA BRACKETS, with LAMPS, hand-painted
MOUNTED CHINA PLAQUES
BOHEMIAN TRAYS BOHEMIAN BOWLS
HAND-PAINTED TRINKET SETS
SATIN BOWLS RUSTIC RINGS
Galvanised VASES
Dresden Vases, Trumpet and Thorn Flower Stands
PENDANT FLOWER-HOLDERS,
&c., &c., &c.

To Glass and China Warehousemen, Fancy Repositories, Ladies' and Gentlemen Furnishing, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
Under Instructions from the Importers.

6 cases MEAT CHOPPERS
2 cases DOOR and PAD LOCKS
200 MEAT MINCERS, assorted sizes
30 AMERICAN TRUNKS
10 cases LAMPWARE
3 ditto Picture Frame Mouldings
10 ditto TURKEY STONES
1 ditto ELECTRO-PLATEDWARE
30 casks LUBRICANT.

To Ironmongers, Machinery Merchants, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION
Under Instructions from the Importers.

60 KEROSENE STOVES, with all the latest improvements, specially adapted for household use
60 TABLE and STUDY KEROSENE LAMPS combined, a great novelty
31 Dozen HORSE and WHITEWASH BRUSHES
1300 KNIFE SHARPENERS, assorted sizes.

To Ironmongers, Furniture Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY Next, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

10 Bales CANVAS.

To Sail and Tarpaulin Makers, Ship Chandlers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY next, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 1ST AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
On account of whom it may concern, with all faults.
Ex Durham, from London.

50 Bales WALLPAPER.

To Oil and Colour Warehousemen, Paperhangers, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS, CASH.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

FRIDAY, 9th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY and IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of 54 CASES ELEGANT ART FURNITURE, SUPERB OVERMANTELS, &c., &c., landed in excellent order.

Ex Cimba, from London.

Under instructions from Mr. D. H. DAVIS.

The SHIPMENT has been personally selected by Mr. D. H DAVIS, whose consignments are so favourably known for their superiority of workmanship, artistic designs, and excellent taste, and for their suitability to this market.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Agents, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN are in receipt of instructions from Mr. D. H. DAVIS to SELL BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 9th AUGUST, at 11 a.m., THE ABOVE SHIPMENT of ELEGANT ART FURNITURE.

The FURNITURE will be fully displayed for inspection on THURSDAY, 8th AUGUST.

TERMS AT SALE.
LUNCHEON PROVIDED.

THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
On Account of whom it may Concern. With all Faults.
Ex Northbrook, from London.
1 Case Best-selected TURKEY STONE, in 14lb. Boxes
2 Cases, each 5cwt., Saddlers' BRIGHT WIRE CLOUTS, ½in.
2 Ditto, Ditto, Ditto, ⅝in.
Ex Sea King, from New York.
1 Case Nye's SEWING-MACHINE OIL, 2oz. Bottles.

To Ironmongers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY next, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS, CASH.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

FRIDAY, 2nd AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

EXTENSIVE and UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of BALANCES of SHIPMENTS of LONDON-MADE FURNITURE, comprising
HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, in Walnut and Rosewood, upholstered in Fancy Silk Tapestry and Plush, &c.
Walnut Inlaid Marqueterie Loo Tables
Octagon, Card, Work, and Wine Tables
WALNUT CORNER CABINETS, with recesses, enclosed cupboards, plate-glass backs, &c.
Coal Cabinets, with brass galleries
Walnut Inlaid Davenport Whatnots
Corner-shaped and Square Whatnots, three and four tier, in walnut inlaid marqueterie
Walnut Music Cabinets, with plate-glass doors and brass galleries, &c.
Luxurious Easy Chairs, Choice Occasional Chairs
SPLENDIDLY FINISHED DINING-ROOM SUITES, in carved walnut and oak, upholstered in morocco
MASSIVE SIDEBOARDS, in heavy carved oak and walnut, with lofty bevelled plate glass backs, side shelves and panels, recessed centres, fitted with drawers, cupboards, and cellarettes
Three-tier Dinner Waggons, with enclosed cupboards and drawers
EXTENDING DINING TABLES, with patent screw, 8ft. and 10ft.
REGISTERED and CYLINDER FALL WRITING TABLES
Carved and Walnut Brackets, with bevelled mirrored backs
Enclosed Hanging Medicine Cupboards, with doors
Brass-mounted Coal Vases, with scoops
EBONITE and GOLD and WALNUT OVERMANTELS, with cove tops, side shelves, bevelled plates, &c.
HALL SUITES in oak and mahogany, Hall Lamps
Glove, Box, Hat, and Umbrella Stands, Hall Chairs
MAGNIFICENT BEDROOM SUITES in walnut and ash complete, with Three-winged WARDROBES, bevelled plateglass doors, pairs of Pedestal Toilets with marble top, 3 Chairs, Towel Rails, and Chamber Cupboards
HALF-CIRCLE, ELLIPTIC-SHAPED, and CHEVAL TOILETS in mahogany, birch, walnut, &c., with marble top and tile back Washstands, &c.
Towel Rails in mahogany, Lavatory Glasses, O. G. Commodes in birch, mahogany
&c., &c., &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Private Buyers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, the above HIGH ART FURNITURE, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 2nd AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

ON VIEW THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 31st JULY, 1889.

AT THE CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.

Messrs. A. TANGE and CO.'S ENTIRE BALANCES, TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS FOR SEASON.

964 Half-chests Congou
273 Boxes ditto
85 ditto S. O. Pekoe and Caper
29 ditto Gunpowder
369 Packages Ceylon and Indian Tea.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above, WITHOUT RESERVE.

The attention of the Tea Trade is invited to this very choice assortment of Ceylon, Indian, and China Teas.

Musters on VIEW at the City Mart.

THIS DAY, 31st July.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

1000 Packages OILMEN'S STORES, ESSENCES, &c.
10 Cases FIGS, each 200 Boxes
20 Bales Gray Sugar BAGS
6 Cases Liquid ANATTO
4 Cases Quarts Eureka RENNET
1 Case Superior BUTTER COLOURING.

FRASER and CO. will sell the above by auction, at the City Mart, 31st July, at 11 o'clock.

COAL, ex S.S. AFGHAN.

To be SOLD by AUCTION, THIS DAY, JULY 31st, at 11 a.m., at the CITY MART.

480 Tons Small Wallsend, as it now lies on wharf at Mort's Dock.
550 Ditto Large Wallsend and Ferndale, mixed, as it now lies in ship's hold.
Subject to conditions which will be read at time of sale.

On account of whom it may concern.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, As above.

Buyers are notified that the conditions of sale must be observed under penalty for demurrage.

TUESDAY, August 6, at the CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.

MORTGAGEES' SALE OF VESSELS.

Schooner MAY JENNINGS, 70 tons, carries 120 tons, nearly new, and in good order.

Schooner ANNIE C. LYNN, 54 tons, carries 110 tons coal, now in excellent order.

Both Vessels open for inspection, at Anchor Wharf, foot of Bathurst-street.

FRASER and CO. are instructed by the mortgagees to sell by auction, As above.
Inventories and all particulars on application.
Buyers are invited to inspect. The sale is absolute.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of the rebuilding of the old established Labour Bazaar Auction Mart.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will continue the clearing-out sale of the large stock of furniture and sundry goods, in order to make room for extensive alterations at the Bazaar, which is to be commenced at once.
Every article to be sold without reserve.
Persons about to furnish, dealers, and others, will find it to their advantage to attend the SALE THIS DAY.

Parties having left goods for sale, will kindly take notice that the above goods left in the Bazaar, 247, Pitt-street, will be sold without reserve to the highest bidder.
ALEXANDER MOORE and CO.

FURNITURE.

J. P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising
Pianofortes, American organ, pierglasses
Drawing and dining room suites, sideboard
Dining tables, Austrian chairs, wardrobe (p.g. door)
Double and single h.t. bedsteads, chests of drawers
Washstands and ware, linoleum, oilcloth, kit. utensils

FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock.
TO BOOKSELLERS, DEALERS IN BOOKS, PRIVATE BUYERS, and Others.
500 VOLUMES of BOOKS:
HISTORICAL, RELIGIOUS, MEDICAL, SURGICAL, ENGINEERING, ARCHITECTURE, AGRICULTURE, Cattle, Poultry, School Books, &c., &c.

JOHN P. LISTER has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock,
About 500 volumes of books, assorted.

FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock.

TO STATIONERS, BOOKSELLERS, FANCY GOODS DEALERS, TOBACCONISTS, STOREKEEPERS, JEWELLERS, HAWKERS, and OTHERS.
250 dozen packs Playing Cards, Note Books
100 dozen Novels (assorted), Exercise Books
3000 Cigars, 60lb. Tobacco, Pipes
Clocks, Scissors, Needles, Wools
Field and Opera Glasses, Show Cases, &c., &c.

JOHN P. LISTER has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock,
5 cases goods as above.

UNDER DISTRAINT FOR RENT.

MORRIS MENSER will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Wednesday, the 31st July, at 10.30, Household furniture and effects, on the premises, 3, Crown-lane, Crown-road, Ultimo, under distress warrant.
Auctioneer and Valuator, 15, Park-street.

UNDER BILL OF SALE.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 31st JULY, at 2.30 p.m., on the premises,
70 and 72, Castlereagh-street, near King-street, removed for convenience of sale,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
DRAWINGROOM SUITE, COVERED IN LEATHER
Mahogany Frames in first-class condition, nearly new
EXTENDING DINING TABLE, 3 SPARE LEAVES
SIDEBOARD, P. G. BACK; OVAL WALNUT TABLE
PIER GLASS, AUSTRIAN ROCKERS, C. S. CHAIRS
MASSIVE TUBULAR 4-p. BEDSTEADS and ½-Testers
COTS, EXCELLENT 7-DRAW CHEST FULL CEDAR
Toilet, Combination Chest, Linoleum, Cornice, Curtains,
HALL STAND, BEVELED GLASS and TILED BACK,
Two Chairs to match, Sewing Machine, Gold Hunting Watch, Gold Chain, Locket, Engravings, E. P. Ware, Crockery, Ornaments, Filter, &c.

MORRIS MENSER has received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell, WITHOUT RESERVE, the above.
Auctioneer, Valuator, 15, Park-street.

TO PARTIES FURNISHING, DEALERS, and OTHERS.
GARRARD and HAMILTON have received instructions from the Proprietor, to clear out by public auction, THIS DAY, 31st, July, at 10.30 o'clock, on the premises, Stewart-street, near Dick's Hotel, Balmain, the whole of his Household furniture, &c., consisting of cheffonier, chest drawers, couches, toilet sets, Austrian chairs, bedsteads, &c. Positively no reserve. Owner leaving colony.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 31st INSTANT, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO WHOLESALE AND RETAIL FANCY GOODS WAREHOUSEMEN, TOBACCONISTS, STATIONERS, DEALERS, &c.

Entirely Unreserved Sale of 32 Cases of
LADIES' SEAL and LEATHER BAGS and RETICULES,
PURSES, CIGAR and CIGARETTE CASES, PHOTO FRAMES
BACK COMBS, I.R. BALLS
BRIAR and CHERRY PIPES, in PLAIN and SILVER MOUNTS
ELECTROPLATED JAM SPOONS, PICKLE FORKS and KNIVES
POCKET CUTLERY on CARDS and FANCY BOXES
ELECTRO-PLATED and METAL SPOONS and FORKS
ACCORDEONS and MOUTH HARMONICONS.
Also,
2 CASES FLAVOURING ESSENCES, assorted.

Just Landed ex Durham.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 31st instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.
32 cases of the above new goods.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, at 11 o'clock prompt.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

IN ORIGINAL PACKAGES and OPEN STOCK.

TERMS LIBERAL, AT SALE.

JAMES RODD and CO. are instructed to sell by auction at their Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, at 11 o'clock sharp,
79 ORIGINAL PACKAGES, also,
A LARGE QUANTITY OF OPEN STOCK, comprising—
EVERY DESCRIPTION of GENERAL DRAPERY
MEN'S and BOYS' READY-MADE CLOTHING
LADIES' and CHILDREN'S PLAIN and FANCY HOSIERY
UNDERCLOTHING, MILLINERY, CORSETS
DRESS GOODS, COSTUMES, MANTLES
PINAFORES, APRONS, BLOUSES, FROCKS
LACES, GLOVES, RIBBONS
MANCHESTER and LINEN GOODS
HATS, SHIRTS, MERCERY
BOOTS and SHOES, BOOTS and SHOES.

Full particulars at Sale.

Inspection invited previous to Sale.

ASHFIELD.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1st, at 2.30 o'clock, At MERILRIE, JOSEPH-STREET, ASHFIELD.

JOHN B. LAVERACK is instructed by Mr. Pheeldon to sell by public auction, at his residence,
Dining and other tables, Austrian suite, couches, cheffonier (plate-glass), carpets, linoleum, double tubular bedsteads, bedding, combination chests of drawers, washstands and ware, china, glass, cutlery, kitchen and laundry utensils, milch goat, &c.
Office: 243, Pitt-street.

Building Materials, Shop Fittings.
250 Sheets Galvanised Iron, 10,000 Feet Pine Flooring and Lining Boards
Joisting, Rafters, Windows, Hardwood Flooring
Shelving and Ships' Fittings, ex Port Pirie.

LENEHAN and CO. will sell by auction, on THURSDAY next, August 1, at Clarence-street, two doors from King-street, at 11 o'clock,
The above material, contents of 4 houses, moved for convenience of sale. Terms cash. No reserve.

TO-MORROW, Thursday, August 1st, 1889.

IMPORTANT SALE OF FANCY GOODS.

To STOREKEEPERS, DEALERS, and OTHERS.

In Open Stock, comprising
GLASSWARE, CHINA, TEA SETS
CUTLERY, COMBS, BRACKETS, PIPES
Vases, Ornaments, &c., &c.

HOUGHTON and CO. (late H. KELLETT) will sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 111, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Thursday, at 11 sharp.

WITHOUT RESERVE.

ON TUESDAY, 6th AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m., at the CYRSTAL PALACE SKATING RINK, YORK-STREET.

AUCTION SALE of the WHOLE OF THE FITTINGS AND STOCK, including
1046 PAIRS OF SKATES, by well-known makers
Arch Lamp, 3 Sunlights, Electric Fittings, Glasses (600), and Bells
19 Gilt-frame Mirrors, 6 x 5
Office Tables, Washstands, Sideboard, Iron Safe, and Chairs
250ft. Railing Seats, Partitions, Counter, and Bar Fittings
Sundry Shields, Figures, Fans, &c., &c.
Carpets, Oilcloth, and Matting.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the CRYSTAL PALACE SKATING RINK, YORK-STREET, on TUESDAY, AUGUST 6th, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above.

ON VIEW ON MONDAY, the 5th, from 10 to 5.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

BONDI-ROAD (late New Waverley-street), WAVERLEY.

CARINNA, built of brick on stone, with slate roof, containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse with copper, pantry, bathroom, verandah, venetian blinds fitted to all the windows. The land has 30ft. frontage to BONDI-ROAD, by a depth of 117ft. TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1889,
The above-described COTTAGE RESIDENCE, situate a few yards off the Old South Head-road.

W. H. PIGOTT, Esq., Castlereagh-street, Solicitor for Mortgagee.

BONDI. BONDI.

A BLOCK of LAND, having 76ft. frontage to BONDI-ROAD, by a depth of 314ft. on south side, and 287ft. on north side, and 82ft. frontage to the Government reserve at the rear, and overlooking the ocean, being lot 2, section 2, of the Bondi Estate, and situate almost opposite the Cliff House Hotel.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7.
The above-described allotment.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF J. HELY, PETERSHAM.

IMPORTANT SUBURBAN INVESTMENT, consisting of 3 BRICK-BUILT SHOPS,
with slate roofs, verandahs, and balconies, each containing on the ground floor shop, kitchen, washhouse, copper, &c.; on the first floor 3 bedrooms, bathroom; also, at the rear, large store, with office and 2 rooms.
The OUTBUILDINGS comprise WELL-BUILT COACH-HOUSE, iron roof, 3-stalled stable, and carthouse.

THE LAND has a frontage of 91ft. 6in. to TOOTHILL-STREET, by a depth of 165ft. along DENISON-STREET, widening at the rear to 139ft.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7th,
The above-described SUBURBAN INVESTMENT.

REDFERN PROPERTIES.

LOT 1.—SHOP and DWELLING, situate at the corner of YOUNG and TELOPEA STREETS, containing shop, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, gas and water, let at £78 per annum for 5 years from 15th July, 1888. THE LAND has a frontage of 15ft. to Young-street, by a depth of 100ft.

LOT 2.—Brick-built SHOP and DWELLING, adjoining the above in YOUNG-STREET, containing shop, 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, &c. THE LAND has a frontage of 15ft., by a depth of 100ft.

THE TITLES to these properties are LEASEHOLDS, the LEASES having 50 years to run from 1st April, 1888, at ground rents of £12 per annum each.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7,
The above-described properties.

WAVERLEY-STREET, WAVERLEY.

TWO BRICK-BUILT RESIDENCES, situate and known as HOBARTVILLE and LUCEVILLE,
each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse, &c., wood and coal shed, gas and water, at present let at 25s. a week each.
The LAND has a frontage of 40ft. to WAVERLEY-STREET, by a depth of 110ft.
TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14th,
The above-described residences, situate fronting WAVERLEY-STREET, just past the Tea Gardens.

RESIDENCE SITES at MANLY.

LOT 1.—An ELEVATED BUILDING SITE, having 50ft. frontage to CLIFF-STREET, by a depth of 150ft., being lot 13, section 1, of CLIFTON HEIGHTS ESTATE, situate near the residence of the late Captain Moreton, overlooking the ocean, within 5 minutes' walk of the pier.

LOT 2.—BLOCK of LAND, having 50ft. frontage to WOOD-STREET, by a depth of 150ft., being lot 12, sec. 1, of the Cavendish Park Estate.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14,
The above-described residence sites.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE LATE S. W. GRAY, Esq.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

The following Properties in the ESTATE OF THE LATE S. W. GRAY, Esq.:—

Lot 1.—ANNANDALE NORTH.—FOUR ALLOTMENTS of LAND, having together 200ft. frontage to JOHNSTON-STREET, by a depth of 190ft., being Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, Sec. 21, of the Annandale Estate. TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

Lot 2.—SOUTH HEAD.—BLOCK of LAND, containing an area of 5 acres and 9 perches, being an original grant to R. J. Want, having a frontage of 561ft. to PALMER-STREET and 392ft. 8in. to the OLD SOUTH HEAD-ROAD. TITLE, TORRENS'.

Lot 3.—LANE COVE, PARISH of GORDON.—BLOCK of LAND, containing an area of 82 ACRES, being an original grant to W. C. GODDARD. TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

Lot 4.—COMO, GEORGE'S RIVER.—TWO BLOCKS of LAND, containing areas of 45 acres 0 roods 34 perches and 44 acres 3 roods 28 perches, respectively, situate fronting Government roads, being portions Nos. 76 and 78
The Illawarra Railway Line intersects these Blocks. TITLE, FREEHOLD.

Lot 5.—TOM UGLY'S POINT, GEORGE'S RIVER.—BLOCK of LAND, known as the TARA ESTATE, containing an area of about 94 Acres, being a grant to Hughes and Hosking. Plan on view at the Rooms.
This property is situate close to the main Hurstville-road, and has a large frontage to George's River. Title, Torrens'.

Lot 6.—WORONORA RIVER, off George's River.—Water Frontage BLOCK of LAND, containing an area of 67 acres, being portion No. 123, originally granted to S. W. Gray, Esq.
THIS BLOCK is within a short distance of the Sutherland Railway Station. TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

Lot 7.—JERRAWANGALA, ULLADULLA, COUNTY OF ST. VINCENT, BLOCK of LAND, containing an area of 850 ACRES, known as C. J. Campbell's Grant.
This land has a large frontage to Wandwandian Creek.

Lot 8.—BROUGHTON CREEK VILLAGE RESERVE, County of Camden.—BLOCK of LAND, containing an area of about 82 acres, and known as B. Marshall's Grant.
This land is bounded by two Government roads.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Executors of the late S. W. Gray, Esq., to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14.
The above-described properties.

Plans can be seen and all information can be obtained at the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street.

*,* TERMS.—One-fourth Cash; balance in 2 or 3 years. Interest, 6 per cent.

SOLICITORS TO THE ESTATE, Messrs. A'BECKETT and HORROCKS, Wentworth-court, Phillip and Elizabeth streets.

HOMEBUSH, close to the Council Chambers.

BLOCK of LAND,
100ft. frontage to HOMEBUSH-ROAD, by a depth of 198ft., being Lots 6 and 7 Section 1,
BUSBY HILL ESTATE,
adjacent to villas of Messrs. Morrison, Gurner, and Gillespie.

TORRENS' TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their ROOMS, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 14th AUGUST,
The above.

Plan can be seen at the Rooms.

COOLIATTA ESTATE, NORTH SHORE.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND every SATURDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock.

FIRST SALE NEXT SATURDAY, 3rd AUGUST.

PLANS ON THE GROUND,
Also at J. H. SCOTT'S, BERRY-STREET, and at the Auctioneers, Messrs. MILLS and PILE.

Prio to first sale, purchasers may obtain selected lots privately at a reduction on reserves.

A TRAMWAY TO THE PROPERTY, and bridge across Long Bay adjoining it, are in course of construction.
TERMS: 20 per cent. cash; balance can remain for three years at 6 per cent. per annum. Interest payable quarterly.
MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers, 130, Pitt-street.

THURSDAY, 15th AUGUST.

BEAUTIFUL VILLA RESIDENCE and ABOUT FIVE ACRES of LAND.

FIELD OF MARS,
within a quarter of an hour's easy drive from Ryde Station, and only two miles by the new road from Parramatta.

WINDERMERE,
A recently erected Dwelling of Brick, containing 7 rooms besides kitchen and out-offices.
Patent Windmill and Force-pump distributing water over the place.
The VIEWS from this property are some of the most charming round Sydney, extending along the river and over a great portion of the city and suburbs
The RIVER STEAMER calls every hour or two at the foot of the road fronting this property.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 15th AUGUST, at 11.30, the above
EXCEPTIONALLY CHOICE PROPERTY,
forming originally portion of the well-known Broadoaks Estate.
Plans can be seen at the Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, and cards to view obtained.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT. TERMS AT SALE.

DULWICH HILL, PETERSHAM.

THURSDAY, 15th AUGUST.

A GOOD BUSINESS SHOP and DWELLING, situate AT THE NEW TRAM TERMINUS, DULWICH HILL.
THE BUILDING is of brick on stone, shop, 3 rooms, kitchen, &c., substantially built for additions.
THE LAND has 25½ft. frontage to the NEW CANTERBURY ROAD, by a depth of 190ft. Torrens' Title.
Torrens' Title. Terms: £300 can remain on Mortgage; balance, cash.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 15th August, at 11.30,
The above
ELIGIBLE BUSINESS PREMISES.

In the Estate of JOHN CONNOR, of Phillip-street, St. Leonards, Bricklayer.

On THURSDAY, 15th AUGUST, at 11.30.

MILLS and PILE will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, under instructions from L. T. Lloyd, Esq., official assignee of the above estate,
All his right, title, and interest, if any, in and to land, having 99ft. frontage to Phillip-street, St. Leonards, by a depth of 124ft., whereon are erected 3 brick cottages together, each let at 7s per week, containing hall, 2 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, &c., and 1 brick cottage, detached, of 4 rooms and kitchen, let at 10s per week. Title leasehold, about 90 years to run, at a ground rent of £12 per annum.

Also,
An allotment of land, at Granville, being lot 15, section 4, of the Elizabeth Farm Estate, having 50ft. frontage to Alfred-street, by a depth of 145ft. to a lane at rear.

TERMS CASH.

PARTICULARS at the ROOMS.

THE PICK BUSINESS SITE of the CITY OF SYDNEY for SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION by MILLS and PILE, at their SYDNEY AUCTION MART, 130, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, the 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.
WARBY'S LIVERPOOL ARMS HOTEL,

CORNER OF PITT AND KING STREETS, SYDNEY,
52ft. frontage to King-street, 30ft. to Pitt-street.
A SUBSTANTIAL BUILDING OF SEVEN FLOORS, now doing
THE LARGEST BUSINESS IN THE CITY.
Pre-eminently suitable for a
LARGE FINANCIAL INSTITUTION OR HOTEL,
always yielding
A HANDSOME AND REGULAR RETURN
for capital invested.

FOR PARTICULARS, SEE SATURDAY'S HERALD, or apply to
MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers, 130, Pitt-street, Sydney.

MESSRS. MILLS and PILE have been APPOINTED AGENTS for THE SALE of MOORBANK ESTATE, LIVERPOOL, and in future all communications are to be addressed to
The SECRETARY,
THE MOORBANK ESTATE COMPANY, Limited,
130, Pitt-street, Sydney.

LAND SALE, BALMAIN.

SPLENDID BUSINESS SITES.

Adjoining Town Hall, and close to Post and Telegraph Offices and Court House.

THE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS CENTRE IN BALMAIN.

GARRARD and HAMILTON have been instructed by the Executors in the Estate of the late J. Tonkins, Esq., to sell by public auction, on the ground, NEXT SATURDAY, August 3, at 3 p.m.,
That splendid block of land, consisting of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, having a total frontage of 112ft. to Darling-street, Balmain, by a depth of 100ft. to Jaques-street. Lane at rear.

TORRENS' TITLE.

Plans may be seen at the Offices of the Auctioneers, 70, Pitt-street, Sydney, and 365, Darling-street, Balmain.

ORDER OF SALE BY AUCTION of SUNDRY PROPERTIES, at the CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 134, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 22nd AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.

ROOKWOOD. Weatherboard Cottage, containing 4 rooms, &c.; land, 60 x 120; being lots 38 and 39, of sec. 4 of the Hyde Park Estate. Torrens'.

ROOKWOOD. 6-roomed Cottage, with verandahs back and front. Land has 40ft. frontage to Park-street by a depth of 100ft. Terms, £15 deposit; balance at 12s 6d per week. Interest, 7 per cent.

ROOKWOOD. Comfortable weatherboard Cottage, containing 6 rooms, kitchen, servants' room, pantry, and bathroom, hall (6ft.), verandahs back and front (8ft.) Land, 32 x 130, corner of Park-street and John-street. Easy terms.

REDFERN. House, corner of Elizabeth and Cooper streets, contains 5 rooms, kitchen, &c.; at present let at 18s per week. Leasehold title. Ground rent, £3 per annum.

CARLINGFORD. Orchard, with 4-roomed W.B. Cottage and one acre of land not under cultivation. Total area of land, 5 acres. Freehold.

LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH (Burlington). Detached W.B. Cottage, containing 4 rooms and kitchen. Land ½-acre in area, having 66ft. frontage to Villa-street, Burlington, by the great depth of 330ft. Stable, coach-house. Everything new and in good order. Fruit trees, flowers, &c. Torrens' title.

Also, the following CHOICE ALLOTMENTS and BUILDING SITES:—

ROOKWOOD (Lottieville Estate). The Unsold Allotments in the Lottieville Estate, being Nos. 3, 8, 14, 18, 19, and 20. To be sold in one lot or separately. Torrens' title.

COOGEE (Coogee Park Estate). In the Coogee Park Estate—Allotments Nos. 3 and 4, of sec. 1, each having 33ft. frontage to Dundas-street by a depth of 132ft.
Also, Allotment No. 26, of sec. 5, 33ft. frontage to Robertson-street, by a depth of 147ft. 3in.

CANTERBURY (Redmond's Estate). Two Allotments, facing Thompson-street, having 20ft. frontage by 100ft. depth, and being Allotments Nos. 78 and 79 of sec. 8 of Redmond's Estate. Freehold.

BURWOOD. Two Allotments, each having 50ft. frontage to Park-street, by a depth of 128ft. 5in., being allotments 13 and 14 of Pant's subdivision. A few minutes from the station.

HURSTVILLE (Hurstville Park Estate). Allotment No. 172, having 50 feet frontage to The Avenue with a depth of 172 feet 7½ inches. Only a few minutes from station. Torrens' title.

AUBURN. An Allotment of Land at the station, having 50ft. frontage, by a depth of 200ft. Torrens' title.

AUBURN. An Allotment of Land. Frontage of 67 feet to Water-street, by a depth of 160 feet. Title, Torrens'.

FAIRFIELD (Avoca Estate.) 8 Allotments in Avoca Estate, having in all 120ft. to Moorgate-street, 120ft. to Park-street, and 20ft. to Government road. Torrens' title.

(Camden Estate.) Also, Lots 7 and 8 of sec. 6 of the Camden Estate, each 75ft. by the great depth of 282ft.

(Township of Fairfield.) Also, Allotments 1, 2, 3, 4 and 24 of sec. 12, and Allotments 1 and 16 of sec. 6, all choice blocks in the Township of Fairfield.

Terms can be ascertained at the office of the Auctioneer.

J. E. ROBBERDS will sell the above by public auction at the Central Auction Rooms, 134, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 22nd AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.

RENWICK-STREET, LEICHHARDT.

TWO 2-story DWELLING-HOUSES, Nos. 18 and 20, built of brick on stone, each verandah and balcony, and containing 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse.
LAND is 35ft. frontage, by depth of 105ft.
A good situation, in a pleasant street, close to Elswick House, and near Parramatta-road and tram.
TORRENS' TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 2nd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above two houses, Renwick-street, Leichhardt.
Messrs. JOHN DAWSON and SON, Pitt-street, are the Solicitors. (309)

BEAUTIFUL SITE and HOUSE JOHNSTON-STREET, ANNANDALE,
near the high-class residences of Messrs. Taylor, Abigail, Frankel, and Hon. Syd. Smith. The villa is known as
GLENCAIRN.
WELL-BUILT and attractive, enclosed in front with handsome gates, stone wall, and iron railing. It is of brick (cemented), slate roof, and has tiled walk, tiled porch, balconies, hall, six rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse; detached is stabling premises, having stall, buggy house, man's room, and loft over.

This house property is specially commended to the notice of all seeking a good building, in a delightful situation, from which is commanded very extensive and charming views. It is finished throughout in good taste, is in tiptop order, enjoys the cheerful aspect, and is most convenient to tram. Electric Bells fitted.

TORRENS' TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 2nd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above exceptionally nice residence and grounds. (295)

FORT-STREET, MILLER'S POINT, near Trinity Church and Argyle-street.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

LAND, 34 feet 10½ inches by depth of about 77 feet, width at rear 36½ feet. On it is a W. Bd. Cottage (No. 32) known as the late Mrs. Drysdale's. A portion of the city that must come into much larger use and value.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 2nd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above, for positive sale.
Particulars of title on application to JOHN WILLIAMSON, Esq., Solicitor, King-street. (308)

By order of the Executrix of the Estate late Miss Eliz. Smith.

BALMAIN, handy to Stephen-street Ferry.
TWO HOUSES, weatherboard, lath and plaster inside, painted outside, on stone foundations, and close to the corner of JANE-ST. They have verandahs and balconies in front, and each contains 4 rooms and kitchen, copper in back verandah, gas laid on.
Land about 33ft. to Bradford-street, depth 80ft., extending to a lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 2nd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above, which must be sold to close the estate. (297)

CITY RESIDENCE on DARLINGHURST HEIGHTS.
By order of the Mortgagee.

CLINTON, No. 355, LIVERPOOL-STREET, between Forbes-street and Darlinghurst-road, and known as the Property of the late H. C. Colyer, Esq.
It is substantial, well-finished, attractive, and commodious.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 2nd August, at 11 o'clock.
That elevated and conveniently-situated freehold allotment of city land, having 22½ft. frontage LIVERPOOL-STREET, east of Forbes-street, with a depth of 150ft. extending to Wellington-place.
On it is erected CLINTON, a family RESIDENCE of brick, cemented, on stone foundation, slate roof, with verandahs and balconies front and rear, and containing hall, 9 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, pantry, scullery, and fuel shed; gas laid on throughout the premises.

A very complete, most faithfully-built, and commodious residence, situate in one of the best positions in the city. Cards to view at our rooms. (293)

WATER FRONTAGE SITES.

In a charming spot and handy to steamers' wharf, only 20 minutes' run from city.

FOUR BEAUTIFULLY-SITUATED VILLA SITES, fronting the WATERS of LONG COVE and CARY-STREET, being lots 25 to 28 of section 13 of the BIRKENHEAD ESTATE, between Iron Cove Bridge and Drummoyne.

Each block has 30ft. frontage, with depths ranging from 172ft. to 188ft.

*,* WITH THE RIGHT TO RECLAIM.

Exceedingly valuable Waterside Blocks of Land, suitable for RESIDENCE or BUSINESS PURPOSES, being easily reached by ROAD and WATER.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 2nd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described water-frontage land, in an advancing and pretty suburb.

PLAN ON VIEW. (298)

WOOLLAHRA FREEHOLD.

NEAT DWELLING (being second one in terrace), on the north side of GRAFTON-STREET, near NELSON-STREET, handy to tram, and now occupied by Mrs. Gee.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock.
The abovementioned freehold at Woollahra, near Oxford-street. Full particulars in future advertisement.

GEORGE-STREET, on BETTER SIDE, between BATHURST and LIVERPOOL STREETS.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

Those massively and recently erected BUSINESS PREMISES called COLONNADE BUILDINGS, comprising
TWO SHOPS, Nos. 658 and 660, GEORGE-STREET, at corner of Swan-street.
The COLONNADE HOTEL, No. 656, George-street, containing bar in George-street, 2 private bars and clubroom in Colonnade; 3 floors of dwelling-rooms, basement.

The Land has about 54ft. frontage to east side of George-street and about 85ft. to Swan-street.
TITLE, LEASEHOLD under TORRENS' ACT, and consists of two leases, viz., one for 25 years from 1st January, 1887, at a yearly ground rental of £800, payable monthly, and the other 26 years from 1st March, 1886, at a weekly rental of £7 per week until the 1st of March, 1891, and thereafter the yearly rental of £500, payable monthly.
The purchaser will have the option of taking over whatever rights the vendor may have under the leases of the property adjoining the above in Swan-street, having a frontage of about 54ft., with a depth of about 53ft. The leases of this are 25 years from 1st June, 1886, in one case, and the 1st February, 1887, in the other, at an aggregate rental of £220 per annum, with a building covenant of £2000. The time within which this building covenant had to be performed having expired, these leases are forfeitable.

Full particulars of this substantial, extensive, and central city investment will appear in a future advertisement.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above George-street corner property.

Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN are solicitors of the Mortgagee. (305)

COOPER-STREET, SURRY HILLS.

No. 54, a neat DWELLING-HOUSE, between Riley-street and Elizabeth-street, very convenient to the city, and should prove a good investment or comfortable home property. It is well built of brick on stone, has balcony, 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washshed. Land, 20ft. x 80ft. back to a lane.
Estate of late Mrs. Charlotte Slade.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above house, Cooper-street, Surry Hills, near Elizabeth and Devonshire streets, also railway station. (324)

MORTGAGEE SALE.

WEATHERBOARD HOUSE in Pigott-street (late Gambling-street), next the corner of DENISON-STREET, beyond Virginia Water Estate, about 10 minutes' walk from Lewisham Railway Station. It contains 7 rooms, sheds. The land, lot 7 of sec. 1, Lewisham West, has 25ft. frontage to Pigott-street, depth 117ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above suburban home between Lewisham and Summer Hill.
W. J. WEST, Esq., is Solicitor of the Mortgagee. (319)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

FAIRFIELD.

Between Granville and Liverpool, now having the railway line duplicated.

COTTAGE with 3 acres 3 roods 8½ perches, fronting STANBROOK-ROAD and RAILWAY VIEW PARADE, Camden Estate, about 15 minutes' walk from Fairfield Station. It is known as Mr. Booth's property. Title, Torrens' Act.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above, full particulars of which will shortly be published.
Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN are Solicitors of the Mortgagee. (322)

EDGECLIFF-ROAD, WOOLLAHRA.

FREEHOLD LAND, 58ft. 6in. to EDGECLIFF-ROAD, 2nd subdivision of Edgecliff Estate, 152ft. 8in. to side lane 33ft. wide, and 58ft. 4in. to lane at rear; together with extensive range of STABLING, feedroom, and SHEDS for cabs thereon; city water. The FRONTAGE is still unbuilt upon.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above freehold, suitable for a builder, cab proprietor, or anyone requiring land with stabling accommodation. (325)

LAMB-STREET, BALMAIN WEST.

COTTAGE VILLA, of brick (cemented), slate roof, having verandah, hall, 5 rooms, 2 pantries, breakfast-room, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. At rear of brick is stabling and buggy-house, with loft over. It is styled Staindrop Villa.
A very superior small property, on a hill, with good views, and near the Balmain-road and Mr. W. Russell's residence.
By order of the Mortgagee.
Recommend as a good Home Cottage.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above cottage, Lamb-street, Balmain West, well known as Mr. C. Iver's, and in splendid condition throughout.
For Positive Sale. (327)

HOMEBUSH-ROAD, HOMEBUSH.

HAWTHORN, a Cottage of brick, a few yards beyond Council-chambers, having verandah front and rear, hall, 4 rooms, and kitchen, wash-shed, city water and gas laid on. A pleasant spot in a healty district, enjoying the fullest convenience from quick frequent trains, and only a moderate walk from station. LAND is 90ft. frontage, by a depth of 195½ft. ALONG WOODWARD-AVENUE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above cottage, Homebush. Inspection invited. (326)

1st. RANDWICK.
GLADSTONE HOUSE, on ALISON-ROAD, between Botany and Belmore streets; and Cottage at rear.
2nd. NEWTOWN.
Detached two-story VILLA RESIDENCE, in Charles-street, off London-street, between Newtown Railway Station and Tram on Enmore-road.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock.
The above, full particulars of which will appear in a future advertisement.
For particulars of titles, apply to J. WILLIAMSON, Esq., Solicitor, King-street. (311)

PARRAMATTA RIVER, DRUMMOYNE.

CHOICE WATER FRONTAGE SITE, being lot 3 of sec. 7, having frontage to Parramatta River and 30ft. to Wolseley-street, with a depth of 202½ft. on one side and 223ft. on the other side.
*,* Drummoyne is now one of the most highly improved and popular suburbs on the famous Parramatta River.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above water frontage site.
Title TORRENS'. (317)

SUPERIOR RESIDENCE, STANMORE.

In a beautiful position, with high-class surroundings, and only two minutes from Railway Station.
PENDOWER is a Villa Residence, well built of brick (cemented), on stone foundations, slate roof, and containing entrance porch (tiled), balconette, hall (tiled), drawing and dining rooms, breakfast-room, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, tower room, 3 pantries, kitchen, and laundry.
Land is 50ft. to CAMBRIDGE-STREET by a depth of 200ft. The locality is on a hill, near station, on south side, and between the good house properties of Messrs. Fallick and Close. Pendower is faithfully erected and finished in good style by the owner for a permanent residence.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock.
The above residence, Stanmore. Cards to view. (315)

PRETTY POSITIONS, BURWOOD.

To Builders and Seekers for Sites.
LOTS on Celebrated EDROP Estate.
SECT. 1, Lot 22, 50ft. to Victoria-street, corner of Shaftesbury-road. Depth, 141ft.
DITTO, Lots 17 to 21, in all 256 10-12ft. to Edrop-street. Depth, 141ft.
SECT. 3, Lot 7, 46½ft. Edrop-street, 114ft. (corner) to Shaftsbury-road.
Ditto, Lot 10, 46ft. x 112½ft. depth.
*,* Eligible Sites, in a good SPOT, near station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above lots, Burwood.
Inspection invited. Particulars of title from Messrs. Cope and King, solicitors. (316)

THE PLATEAU, part of the MOUNT RAMSAY ESTATE, a little Sydney side of NARRABEEN LAGOON, about SIX MILES FROM MANLY.

To Speculators, Building Societies, Syndicates, and Others.

LARGE BLOCKS, each comprising 42 Lots, surrounded by roads.

SECTIONS of 16 LOTS, with 3 road frontages.

SINGLE OR MORE ALLOTMENTS.

This well-known Estate has been subdivided into 38 sections, most of which are now for SALE BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
The position is a little west of the main road to Pittwater, &c., Sydney side of Mr. O. West's suburban retreat.
The PROPOSED TRAIN route is close to, and if carried out will certainly bring this locality into favour, and land must increase in value.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 16th August, at 11 o'clock,
The whole of the unsold portions of THE PLATEAU, Mount Ramsay Estate, near Narrabeen Lagoon.

IN LOTS TO SUIT ALL CLASSES OF BUYERS.

Lithos. preparing. (321)

WORTH BUYING, for it has a PROSPECTIVE VALUE.

BUSINESS PREMISES and VACANT LAND on CANTERBURY-ROAD, PETERSHAM, a few feet west of CRYSTAL-STREET and OXFORD HOTEL.
It is known as Porter's Property, recently a CHEMIST'S SHOP, two storeys, and built of brick, cemented front, on stone foundation, and containing 7 rooms, kitchen, and pantry, wooden stable, buggy shed, &c.; gas and water laid on.
The land has 60ft. frontage to Canterbury-road, with depth of 100ft. One-half the main road frontage is still vacant.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 2nd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above valuable property, on the main business thoroughfare of Petersham. It is for Positive Sale.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE. (306)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

LANE COVE ROAD, GORDON,
close to the property of Mr. Hamilton, nearly opposite Mrs. M'Mahon's Travellers' Rest Hotel, and about a quarter of a mile from railway station.
BLOCK of LAND, 1 acre and 30½ perches, fronting the Lane Cove-road. On it are erected the following weatherboard buildings:—COTTAGE, with verandah in front, and containing 2 rooms and kitchen (now in the occupation of Mr. Bromley); SHOP and Dwelling, containing 4 apartments, kitchen, bakehouse, with oven, shed for flour.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above main road frontage at Gordon, Lane Cove, and known as Mr. J. Bromley's.
W. J. WEST, Esq., is Solicitor of the mortgagee. (320)

SUBDIVISION OF EXCELLENT SITES.

PICK OF ROCKDALE.

RIGHT ON THE HILL, FOREST-ROAD and FREDERICK-STREET.

Splendid Subdivision of the Residue of the Famous LYDHAM HILL ESTATE, in front of and at the side of the Cottage of late Mr. Davis.

AUCTION SALE on GROUND, SATURDAY, 31st AUGUST, at 3 o'clock.

Land being prepared, and plans will be announced, only a few minutes from station.
Mr. OWEN, Pitt-street, is Surveyor to the Estate.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited. (113)

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

By order of the Trustees in the Estate of the late CAPTAIN FRANCIS.

1st—GRAND CITY INVESTMENT.

KING and CASTLEREAGH STREETS, projected RAILWAY Terminal Station at HEAD of KING-STREET, where already is the great output from and gathering to the VARIOUS TRAM SERVICES.

The LAW COURTS are Close by.

An Active ROUTE to PARLIAMENT, DOMAIN, COWPER WHARF, WOOLLOOMOOLOO, and HYDE PARK PASSES THIS GOOD CORNER.

HODGE'S COMMERCIAL HOTEL and three small Shops adjoining in King-street.

Only under circumstances of decease of owner is the opportunity offered to acquire a CORNER LOCATED LIKE THIS, a veritable Key Position, with present large value and untold possibilities in a few years hence.

2nd—FOLKESTONE, LAVENDER BAY, NORTH SHORE, A GEM SPOT.

EXCEPTIONALLY CHOICE RESIDENCE, QUITE SUBURBAN, and as convenient as a city house.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on an early date,
The above described valuable properties.

Full particulars in future advertisements, and intimation will be made when inspection can be allowed.

Messrs. LAURENCE and RICH, Castlereagh-street, are Solicitors to the Estate. (307)

MOSSMAN'S BAY. (repeated down the column)

BOWDEN'S ESTATE, 10 minutes' walk from ferry.
BOWDEN'S ESTATE commands lovely views.
BOWDEN'S ESTATE, sold on most reasonable terms.
TEN POUNDS per cent. deposit, balance EXTENDING OVER 3 YEARS, with 6 per cent. interest.
BOWDEN'S ESTATE, Sale on the Ground.
SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, at 3 o'clock.
CLARKE and M'INTYRE, Auctioneers, 126, Pitt-st., and St. Leonards.

FOR AUCTION SALE on THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 1889.

That splendid Grazing Property known as WILTON PARK, situate near Picton, and comprising 2150 ACRES FREEHOLD LAND.

GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, and CO., Limited, have received instructions from the proprietor, J. D. BADHAM, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney Exchange, on THURSDAY, August 15, at 12 o'clock noon (if not previously disposed of privately),
THE ABOVE WELL-KNOWN HIGHLY IMPROVED ESTATE, which is about three miles from Picton, and a railway siding has been constructed within one mile of the property.
This land is the PICK OF THE DISTRICT, having been taken up some 60 years ago, when there was room for extended choice.
A large proportion of the land is cleared, and 400 to 500 acres, rich, chocolate, lucerne-growing soil is partly laid down with lucerne or ready for the plough.
The property is subdivided into convenient paddocks, and there is also a comfortable homestead of 5 rooms, with all necessary outhouses.
The fattening character of the country is well known, some of the FINEST FAT STOCK, placed upon the metropolitan market, having come from this Estate.
A considerable quantity of valuable Ironbark Timber is still standing, which the proximity of the property to the Railway renders of great prospective value. All dead timber is being removed.
As a receiving depot for stock for the Sydney market, or for dairying purposes, the position and capabilities of this Estate are unequalled.
For further particulars apply to
GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, and CO., Limited, Sydney or Melbourne.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

FREEHOLD ESTATE in RIVERINA.

DALGETY and CO., Limited, (in conjunction with Ettershank, Eaglestone, and Mann), have received instructions from the Executors of the late Richard Blackwood, to SUBMIT to PUBLIC AUCTION, in Melbourne, in October next,
The well known HARTWOOD ESTATE, consisting of about 105,000 ACRES of FREEHOLD LAND and 16,000 ACRES of CROWN LANDS, together with about 85,000 SHEEP.

The land is sound sheep country, of superior fattening and wool-growing qualities. A large proportion consists of rich agricultural soil, suitable for wheat-growing and ready for cultivation. The supply of water is abundant, the estate being watered by both the Yanko Creek and Billabong, as well as by numerous tanks and dams. The sheep are extremely well bred, being large framed, and cutting heavy fleeces of wool. The Hartwood clip always realises full prices in the London market. The homestead is replete with every convenience, consisting of a large and commodious residence, with stables, outhouses, &c.
Full particulars will appear in a future advertisement, or can be obtained from either of the above firms of agents.

PRELIMINARY ADVERTISEMENT.

YOUIE STATION, NEAR COONAMBLE, with 1600 CATTLE, HORSES, PLANT, &c.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. have received instructions from E. M. Stephen, Esq., Official Assignee in the Insolvent Estate of the late G. D. Lane, deceased, to sell by public auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, early in August, on a day to be named,
The celebrated pastoral property known as Youie, and situated in the Central Division, about 9 miles from Coonamble. The run is magnificently improved by sheep-proof fencing, dams, &c., and is fully secured.
With the run will be sold about 1600 bullocks, now nearly all ready for market.

The Auctioneers especially request intending buyers to inspect this magnificent property, which is acknowledged to be superior to any in the district. The season is now all that can be desired, over 15in. of rain having fallen during the past 2 months. Fuller particulars will appear in a future advertisement; but in the meantime the agents will be glad to give every information and letters to inspect.
JOSEPH LEEDS and CO., Jamison-street, Sydney.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Department, Sydney, 27th July, 1889.
LUPTON v. FISHER, H. A.

ON WEDNESDAY next, 31st July instant, at 11 a.m., on the premises occupied by the defendant, 19, Hunter-street, Sydney, unless the abovenamed warrant is previously satisfied, the SHERIFF will cause to be sold by Public Auction,
The stock-in-trade of a chemist and druggist, including a quantity of chemicals in packages and in bottles; drugs, glass show cases, medicine chests, books, fixtures, office furniture, sundries, &c., &c.
CHARLES COWPER, Sheriff.

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## Auction Sales.

To DEALERS, PRIVATE BUYERS, and Others.

THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 11 a.m.
St. Kilda Cottage, No. 98, Palmer-street, off Woolloomooloo-street.

HYAM HAINS has received instructions to sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 11 a.m., No. 98, St. Kilda Cottage, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
Black and gold overmantel
Wardrobe, plateglass front
Brussels carpets, fender and irons
Loo table, Austrian furniture
B. H. couch, sideboard, M. board
Duchesse toilets (superior), and H. P. ware
Clock, ornament, pictures
M. S. T. glass, K. safe, K. table
Chests drawers, W. ware, T. tables
Half-tester bedsteads and bedding
Laundry utensils, sundries, &c.
No Reserve. Terms, cash.
No. 98, ST. KILDA COTTAGE, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo.
To BUILDERS, CARPENTERS, JOINERS, PAINTERS, and OTHERS.

HYAM HAINS has received instructions to sell by public auction, TO-MORROW, Thursday, the 1st, at 11 a.m., on the premises, No. 92, Oxford-street, stock-in-trade of a builder and contractor,
Mortise machines
2 double benches
Block and tackle
Ladder 26ft., and others
Steps, barrows, sleeves
Screws and washers, tubs
Paints, turps, and oils, &c., &c., &c.
NO RESERVE. TERMS, CASH.
No. 92, Oxford-street, opposite Green's-road.
FURNITURE SALE at ASHFIELD, corner of Victoria and Norton streets, op. Police Station
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 11 sharp.
Tenant removing from the village.

H. KELLETT will sell by auction, on the above premises, THIS DAY, at 11,
Tables, chairs, bedsteads, bedding, carpets, floorcloths, blinds, pictures, dinner set, ornaments, vases, crockery, kitchen requisites.
&c., &c.
No reserve.
FURNITURE, FURNITURE.
THIS DAY, 31st JULY, at 2.30 p.m.
In the New Sale Rooms, 281, George-street (op. Hunter-st.).

M'ARDELL GIBSON, and CO. are instructed to sell in their Rooms, as above,
ENGLISH and COLONIAL FURNITURE, &c., comprising
Drawing, dining and bed room suites; pianos, carpets, chests drawers, toilet pairs; occasional, office, and other tables, office desks, chairs, artists' materials, fancy goods, tinware, Stannic enamelware, plated-ware, rugs, lamps, &c.
M'ARDELL, GIBSON, and CO., Auctioneers.
EXTENSIVE SALE OF FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
FRIDAY, 2nd AUGUST, at 11 a.m.
On the Premises, 393, Parramatta-street, opposite Palace-street, Leichhardt.

M'ARDELL, GIBSON, and CO. have been favoured with instructions from Mr. H. Priestly (who is removing from the district) to sell by auction, as above,
WITHOUT RESERVE,
The whole of his Household Furniture and Effects, comprising—
Drawing-room suite, dining-room ditto
Piano (by Schmidt, of Berlin); first-class instruments
Organ (by Bell Organ Co.
Brass-mounted bedsteads, full size; 2 ditto, and single
Spring kapok and flock mattresses
Feather beds, pillows, &c.
Marble-topped washstands, toilet chests
Dressing tables, chairs, crockery, glassware, &c.
Shop fittings, desk, &c.
Also,
Upstanding horse (quiet and stanch in harness), dog-cart, spring van, and harness, poultry, &c., &c.
Terms, cash.
On view in afternoon prior to sale.
The freehold property is also for SALE or to LET. Full particulars on application to
M'ARDELL, GIBSON, and CO.,
Auctioneers, 281, George-street.
THIS DAY, 31st Instant, at 11 a.m.

WM. CRANE, Jun., of 5, Temple Court, King-street, has received instructions to sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m., at 19, Hunter-street, under a warrant of rent,
The stock-in-trade of a chemist and druggist, including homœopathic and allopathic drugs and dispensary complete patent medicines, sponges, fancy goods and perfumery, electric show-cases and fittings, medicine chests and valuable medical books, office furniture and sundries.
Terms, Cash. No Reserve.
THIS DAY, 31st Instant, at 3 p.m.

WM. CRANE, Jun. (of 5, Temple-court, King-street), has received instructions to sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 3 p.m., at No. 237, Oxford-st., Darlinghurst, under a warrant of rent, the Stock-in-trade of a picture-frame maker and sundries. TERMS, CASH. NO RESERVE.
TO DEALERS and OTHERS.

M. V. SOLOMAN and CO. will sell by auction, at the Newtown Markets, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 3 p.m.,
A large quantity of clothing, fancy goods, boots and shoes, &c.
Terms, cash. No reserve.
Also,
on THURSDAY, at their Yards, at 3 p.m.,
A quantity of poultry.
Consignments received up to 2 p.m. on day of sale.
MOSSMAN'S BAY.
To the Residents of Mossman's Bay, Neutral Bay, St. Leonards, and Surrounding Suburbs.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m., at
TREBARTHA, SHADFORTH-STREET, AVENUE-ROAD, MOSSMAN'S BAY,
of
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
ON ACCOUNT OF THE PROPRIETOR'S DEPARTURE FOR MELBOURNE.
DRAWING-ROOM, DINING-ROOM, and BEDROOM FURNITURE.
GRAND COLLECTION OF NATIVE WAR TROPHIES from FIJI and NEW GUINEA.
Also,
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS,
&c., &c.

LAWSON and BROUGHTON have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at TREBARTHA, AVENUE-ROAD, MOSSMAN'S BAY,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.
WITHOUT RESERVE.
*,* ON VIEW THIS DAY.
IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
ON AN EARLY DATE,
due notice of which will be advertised.
HIGHLY INTERESTING SALE BY AUCTION,
at
THE RESIDENCE of T. M'MAHON, Esq., PITT-STREET, MILSON'S POINT, NORTH SHORE,
of the whole of the
SUPERIOR FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, which are almost new and in splendid order.
MAGNIFICENT WALNUT PIANOFORTE, an upright grand, by those celebrated makers, LIPP and SON, &c., &c.
THE AUCTIONEERS would specially draw the attention of ladies and gentlemen requiring high-class furniture to this important sale, to be held on an early date.

LAWSON and BROUGHTON have been favoured with instructions from T. M'MAHON, Esq., to conduct the above important sale by auction, at his residence as above,
ON AN EARLY DATE,
due notice of which will be advertised.
The RESIDENCE, which has fine lofty rooms, arranged with every convenience, and commands grand views of the harbour, is to LET, at a moderate rent.
PARTICULARS at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS, 304, GEORGE-STREET.
On the Premises.
Ivanhoe, Lower Bayview-street, M'Mahon's Point North Shore, FRIDAY, August 2, at 11 o'clock.
Unreserved Sale of
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising,
DRAWING SUITE in VELVET, WALNUT FRAMES
Mahogany Escritoire and Bookcase
BANDSOME GOVERNANT'S in WALNUT
POLISHED PINE BEDROOM SUITE,
consisting of Wardrobe, Dressing Table, and Washstand,
Kitchen and Laundry Utensils.
Also,
Plate, China, Pictures, Bedsteads, Bedding, &c.

CLARKE and M'INTYRE have received instructions from J. H. Taylor, Esq., who is leaving the colony, to sell as above,
The whole of his household furniture, furnishings, &c.
FURNITURE ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE.
CLARKE and M'INTYRE, 126, Pitt-st., and St. Leonards.
FRIDAY NEXT, August 2, at 11 o'clock.
UNDER BILL OF SALE.
On the Premises, RIVERINA CLUB, 67, Phillip-street,
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising—
D. R. Suites, in velvet and plush borders and ruby rep
Music Canterbury, Inlaid Whatnots, Dining Tables
B. and C. and Gilt Overmantels, Gipsy and Side Tables
Austrian Chairs, Hall Stand and Chairs, Carpets
Sideboard (P. G. back), Couches, Dinner Waggon
B. and G. Half-tester Bedsteads, Spring Mattresses
Combination Chests, Chests of Drawers, Mirrors
Washstands and Ware, Toilet Tables and Glasses
Cornices and Curtains, Pictures, Ornaments
Utensils, Counter and Shelving, Crockery
Glassware, Cutlery, and Sundries
Large Quantity of Dining and Red Linen
Dressers, Plate Stands, and Kitchen Utensils.

DUNN and WEBB have been instructed by the Mortgagee, to sell by auction the above.
The whole to be offered in one lot, as a going concern; if not sold, will be sold in lots to suit purchasers.
Without Reserve.
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 11 a.m.
At Rokeby, Rosedale-street, Summer Hill Heights.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT and very ATTRACTIVE SALE by AUCTION of HANDSOME FURNITURE and Effects.

MR. J. STRONGMAN has been favoured with instructions from Geo. E. Morris, Esq. (late Morris, Fernie, and Co.), to offer for public competition his elegant and tastefully selected household requisites, in consequence of his removal to the country. Gentry furnishing in good taste, the trade, and others, are respectfully invited to attend.
N.B.—Rokeby is only easy walk from station, south side.
Auctioneer's Office, Burwood Station.
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST, at 11 a.m.
IMPORTANT SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION,
at the SPACIOUS AUCTION ROOMS,
348, George-street,
of the ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, removed from the residence of the late CAPTAIN B. THOMAS for convenience of sale, comprising
Elegant Cut Glassware
Best quality Electroplate, from Elkington and other well-known makers
DINING-ROOM SUITE, in morocco leather
MASSIVE CARVED WALNUT SIDEBOARD, with plate-glass back and cellarette, &c.
MAGNIFICENT bevelled-edged OVERMANTEL, with shelves for statuary
BRUSSELS CARPETS, RUGS
HANDSOME CARVED BOOKCASE
CHOICE LIBRARY of BOOKS
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, in French figured silk tapestry
MAGNIFICENT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, with patent action, trichord, full compass, and all latest improvements
DRESDEN and WORCESTER CHINA ORNAMENTS
ELEGANT BEDROOM SUITE, in Carved American Walnut, comprising
WARDROBE (double-winged), Pair Toilets, Pedestal Cupboard, and Chairs
STATE BRASS-MOUNTED BEDSTEADS and BEDDING, of best quality
MASSIVE CEDAR CHEST DRAWERS
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS
&c., &c.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the executors in the estate of the late Captain B. THOMAS, to sell
The whole of his ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
on THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST,
at 11 a.m.
Catalogues in preparation.
FRIDAY, 2nd AUGUST, at 2.30 p.m.
PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION of BOOKS, forming part of the HANDSOME LIBRARY lately disposed of by Art Union by SIR HENRY PARKES, comprising
WORKS of all the POETS
HISTORICAL WRITINGS, beautifully bound
OLD WRITINGS on the COLONIES
PERIODICALS, some of which are exceedingly rare
&c., &c.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions to hold a Sale, at their AUCTION ROOMS, 348, GEORGE-STREET, on FRIDAY, 2nd AUGUST,
Of the above
VALUABLE LIBRARY of BOOKS.
TERMS CASH.
CATALOGUES in preparation.
WEDNESDAY'S STOCK SALE.

BRUNKER and WOLFE will sell by auction, at the City Yards, foot of Market-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, the 31st instant, at 11 o'clock,
Truck prime vealers, by rail
Fat pigs, &c.
COLONIAL TOBACCO LEAF.
COLONIAL TOBACCO LEAF.

F. L. BARKER will sell, at his Wool Stores, 9 Circular Quay, on Next THURSDAY, 1st August,
100 bales prime colonial tobacco leaf.

GAIR, SLOANE, and CO. will sell by auction, at the Municipal Yards, Homebush, THURSDAY, 1st August,
400 prime fat sheep, account J. F. M'Cullock, Esq.
TRADE NOTICE.

G. MAIDEN (for Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited) will sell by auction, at Homebush, on THURSDAY, the 1st August, at 10 o'clock,
630 prime fat sheep, for P. J. Kelly, Esq., Booroomugga.

GRIFFITHS and WEAVER have received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, on THURSDAY Next, 1st August, 1889,
200 prime fat sheep, for Messrs. Salting Bros., from Cunningham Plains
274 ditto ditto, for Messrs. Weakley Bros., from Gunnedah.
LAMBS, LAMBS, LAMBS.
THIS DAY, 11 o'clock.
Corporation Yards, Market Wharf.

GEORGE WELLS has received instructions to sell by auction,
100 prime fat lambs
200 prime fat pigs.
GEORGE WELLS, Auctioneer,
Corporation Yards, and 153, Sussex-street.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, through their Auctioneer, Thomas Dransfield, will sell at Homebush, on THURSDAY, the 1st August, at 10 o'clock,
50 prime fat cattle, Messrs. W. and P. Lamb, Liverpool Plains
1000 prime fat sheep, Executors late S. Rouse, Beragambil
300 prime fat sheep, Messrs. Smith and Cummings, Wrandian
300 prime fat sheep, Charles Carr, Esq., Binda
100 prime fat sheep, S. Wilson, Esq., Jerilderie.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell by auction, at Homebush, THURSDAY next, August 1st, 1889,
133 prime fat cattle, for Hon. R. Hill, Butterbone
60 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Cliff Bros., Breeza
54 ditto ditto ditto, for J. Ball, Esq., Jerry's Plains
1000 ditto ditto sheep, for Collaroy Company, Colley Plains
600 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Cliff Bros., Breeza
200 ditto ditto ditto, for V. J. Dowling, Esq., Lue
200 ditto ditto ditto, for C. J. Woodward, Esq., Gunnedah
200 ditto ditto ditto, for A. D. Brodie, Esq., Werris Creek.

JOHN BRIDGE and CO. will sell by auction, at Circular Quay Stores, THIS DAY, at 10, Onossum-skins.
JOHN BRIDGE and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Corporation Sale Yards, Market-street,
80 pigs and 12 calves.
FAT STOCK FOR THURSDAY'S SALE.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. will sell by auction, at Homebush, TO-MORROW, Thursday, the 1st August,
200 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. Davis, Dale and Co., Kerrybree
20 prime fat cattle, for H. T. Readford, Esq., Warren
400 prime fat sheep, for C. F. Pryce, Esq., Arabie
300 prime fat sheep, for T. March, Esq., Nimitybelle
100 prime fat sheep, for F. A. Byrne, Esq., Warren
100 prime fat sheep, for J. Litchfield, Esq., Hazeldean
100 prime fat sheep, for Messrs. Mackay Brothers, Mullengudgery.

METROPOLITAN Meat Market, Hay-st., auction sale This Day at 12, Beef, Mutton, Pigs. H. M'Namara.
FAT CATTLE and SHEEP.
HOMEBUSH, THURSDAY NEXT, at 10 o'clock.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, will sell by auction, as above,
100 prime fat cattle, for Mr. J. D. Whalan, Laurence
35 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. J. D. Whalan, Laurence
45 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Dangar Bros., Mooki Springs
40 ditto ditto ditto, for Wallahlow Estate
36 ditto ditto ditto, for A. A. Company, Warrah
1300 ditto ditto sheep, for Messrs. W. Scott and Co., Terala
1260 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. T. and A. Learmonth, Goorangai
570 ditto ditto ditto, for Wallahlow Estate
500 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Cliff Bros., Breeza
500 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. T. J. Sloane, North Logan
400 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. J. Harrington, Bingegong
120 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. Henry Chew, Young
100 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. W. Webb, Kelstone
1 00 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. Thos. Rooke, Gunning.
OPOSSUM SKINS.

THE NEW ZEALAND LOAN and MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY, Limited, will sell by auction, at their Bridge-street Warehouses, THIS DAY, at 10 a.m. sharp,
Opossum skins.
TRADE NOTICE.

WARDEN HARRY GRAVES will sell, through the Homebush Yards, on THURSDAY Next, at usual hours,
1400 prime fat sheep, for J. B. Peacock, Esq., rail Nevertire
900 prime fat sheep, for James Peacock, Esq., rail Dubbo
400 prime fat sheep, for Thomas Woods, Esq., rail Colombo Creek
200 prime fat sheep, for J. Wilcox, Esq., rail Hay
100 prime fat sheep, for T. Reid, Esq., rail Dubbo.

WILKINSON and LAVENDER will sell at the Municipal Yards, Homebush, on THURSDAY, 1st August, at usual hours,
100 fat cattle, for F. W. Armytage, Esq., rail Sourke
800 fat sheep, for Messrs. Lindsay Bros., rail Byrock
600 fat sheep, for J. H. Spiller, Esq., rail Jerilderie
600 fat sheep, for G. W. Terry, Esq., rail Carrathool, and
200 fat sheep, for T. W. Bull, Esq., rail Whitton.
BROWN MARE, BUTCHER'S CARCASE CART, and HARNESS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. Nelson to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Castlereagh-street,
THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
A BUTCHER'S CARCASE CART,
A BROWN MARE, stanch in harness
Set of Harness.
Direct from the country, and for positive sale.
TO HORSE BREEDERS and Others.
IMPORTANT SALE of STALLIONS NEXT MONTH.

BROWN BROS. and CO. will have a special sale of STUD HORSES, on a day to be named, NEXT MONTH, for the incoming season.
Instructions already to hand of some HIGH-CLASS ROADSTERS, TROTTING, COACHING, and DRAUGHT STALLIONS, to arrive from SOUTH AUSTRALIA.
CORPORATION YARDS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. will sell by auction, at the Corporation Sale Yards, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.,
35 prime fat calves from Singleton
25 prime fat calves from Maitland
50 prime fat pigs from Maitland
50 prime fat pigs from Clarence Town
50 prime fat suburban lots.
PURE AYRSHIRE COW, "FANCY," with Calf at foot.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock a.m.,
"Fancy," a pure Ayrshire cow, by Glasgow Geordie (imp.), dam Miss Inrie, by Burns's Jock (imp.), calf at foot by Sir Robert, by Prince of Wales. Extended pedigree at sale.
FIRST-CLASS DAIRY COW, close to Calving.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 11 a.m.,
A first-class dairy cow, close to her calving, very quiet, sound, and a heavy milker.
DAIRY COWS. DAIRY COWS.
WEEKLY SALE,
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 11 a.m.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. Stephenson, of Rooty Hill, and others, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 11 o'clock a.m.,
13 HEAD QUIET DAIRY COWS, from Rooty Hill, some in milk and others springing.
5 DITTO DITTO, from Hunter River.
All quiet and sound, and accustomed to hand-feeding.
PAIR PONIES, SPLENDIDLY MATCHED; PONY PHAETON and HARNESS, PONY CART and HARNESS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their City Horse Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
Pair of handsome small brown ponies, well matched, thoroughly broken to single and double harness and saddle
SPLENDIDLY-BUILT PONY PHAETON, in GOOD order, by HOOKER; set of DOUBLE HARNESS; PONY CART, NEARLY NEW, by Angus and Son; and SET of SINGLE HARNESS.
For sale on account of owner leaving town. Can be highly recommended.
PAIR OF QUIET PONIES
A VICTORIA AND DOUBLE HARNESS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Castlereagh-street,
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 11.30 a.m.,
A PAIR OF VERY QUIET PONIES
A LIGHT VICTORIA, with HARNESS to suit the ponies.
The above is a turnout that can be recommended. The ponies are exceptionally quiet, and stand trains.
SINGLETON SHOW. SINGLETON SHOW.
IMPORTANT SALE
of
PURE-BRED DURHAM BULLS,
from the
WELL-KNOWN ST. AUBIN'S STUD.
SINGLETON SHOW GROUND, 15th AUGUST.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. Bakewell Bros., of St. Aubin's, to sell by auction, on the Singleton Show Ground, August 15th, 45 pure-bred Durham bulls, from two to three years old, of the well-known DQ brand, by Young Derrimut, by 34th Duke of Derrimut, from Empress 2nd. A great priz-taker. The dams of the young bulls are cows carefully selected from the pure-bred stock, established, regardless of cost, by the late Mr. DUMARESQ.
Also, for SAME OWNERS
Bay colt, one year old, by Musketeer, dam Myra, by Easely (imported)
Bay colt, one year old, by Musketeer, dam Enos, by Easely (imported).
Full particulars at time of sale.
INGLIS and SON'S HORSE BAZAAR.
THIS DAY, at half-past 10 a.m. sharp.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, the following:—
At half-past 10 o'clock,
Vans, springcarts, horses, and harness
Draught horses, tipdrays, and harness.
At 12 o'clock,
Superior draught mares and geldings
Well-bred saddle and harness horses
Van, 'bus, and saddle horses.
TO SPORTING MEN AND OTHERS.
THE TROTTING HORSES ZOE AND STARTLE JUNIOR.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, Wednesday, July 31st, at 12 o'clock,
The following high-classed trotting horses, viz.:
ZOE, grey mare, record one mile in 2.35, and 2 miles in 5.56, one of the best and fastest trotting mares in the city.
STARTLE JUNIOR, black colt, rising 3 years old, by Startle (imp., dam a well bred mare, broken to harness, and promises to be exceptionally fast.
BAY GELDING, D. S. BUGGY and HARNESS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. H. JACKSON, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Bay gelding, thoroughly broken to harness, stands trains
D. S. buggy and set brass-mounted harness.
THREE SUPERIOR PONY CARTS, ONE VILLAGE CART, TWO FIRST-CLASS S. S. HOODED BUGGIES.
Also SEVERAL SETS ENGLISH HARNESS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 31st instant, at 12 o'clock,
Three superior pony carts, various sizes and designs
One ditto village cart
Two first-class S. S. hooded buggies, American, imported, with bracketed fronts, and folding child's seat
Several sets superior English and American harness.
IMPORTANT NOTICE.
TO PRIVATE GENTLEMEN, INDIAN BUYERS, CARRIAGE, CAB, and OMNIBUS PROPRIETORS, TRADESPEOPLE, and OTHERS.
83 HEAD
OF THE CELEBRATED ZR HORSES.
FOR SALE AT THE CAMPERDOWN YARDS
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 31st instant, commencing at 2.30 p.m.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owners of Bangheet Station, near Bingera, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 31st INSTANT, at 2.30 sharp,
65 HEAD superior colts and fillies, bearing the celebrated ZR BRAND, from 3 to 6 years old, and comprising carriage and buggy pairs, horses suitable for private gentlemen, Indian buyers, 'bus proprietors, cabmen, tradespeople, and others.
THE ABOVE HORSES ARE DESCRIBED AS BEING SUPERIOR TO ANY OF THE SAME BRAND THAT HAVE BEEN IN THE MARKET FOR YEARS.
The ZR Horses have established such a reputation for their durability and excellent working qualities that the auctioneers deem comment unnecessary, but would impress upon parties requiring really first-class horses not to miss the above opportunity of purchasing.
HOMEBUSH CORPORATION STOCK SALE YARDS.
TRADE NOTICE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, on THURSDAY, August 1, at usual hour,
700 prime fat sheep, on account of H. O. Keefe, Esq., per rail from Bunsendore.
TO DAIRY PROPRIETORS and PRIVATE BUYERS,
100 MILCH COWS, 100,
INGLIS'S RAILWAY YARDS, 827, GEORGE-STREET, on THURSDAYS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Railway Yards, 827, George-street, TO-MORROW, Thursday, August 1, at half-past 10 o'clock,
25 first-class milch cows, account of S. M'Minn, Esq.
25 ditto ditto, account D. Boutfler, Esq.
25 ditto ditto, account Messrs. Macintosh Bros.
15 ditto ditto ditto, account Thos. Briggs, Esq.
10 ditto ditto, account Various Owners.
The above are all in full milk with young calves at foot and have been selected for the Sydney market from the best dairies in the Southern and Hunter districts,
BUTCHERS, BUTCHERS, BUTCHERS.
WEEKLY STOCK SALE.
INGLIS'S RAILWAY YARDS, 827, GEORGE-STREET, ON THURSDAY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Railway Yards, TO-MORROW, Thursday, August 1, at half-past 1 o'clock,
50 extra prime fat calves, from the Hunter River
35 ditto, from Liverpool and Penrith
15 ditto, from Rooty Hill
50 prime fat pigs, from Bega and Moruya
45 ditto, from Clarence Town
100 ditto from Picton and Burragorang
60 ditto, suburban lots
70 store pigs.
At half-past 3 o'clock,
30 prime paddock-fed fat cattle
40 first-class dry cattle.
CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
MONDAY, AUGUST 5.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. T. and W. D. MOXHAM to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on MONDAY NEXT, August 5,
80 fresh country horses.
FULL PARTICULARS, FUTURE ISSUE.
FOR SALE. This Day, at Kier's Bazaar, neat Village CART, Pony, and Harness, a rare chance.
HORSES, VEHICLES and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.
Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.
LIVERY.—In this department charges moderate, and best of forage.
TO PRIVATE GENTLEMEN, DAIRYMEN, AND OTHERS.
9 MILCH COWS, &c.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
9 cows in full milk
1 bull
1 horse and 1 spring-cart
1 milk cart and 2 sets of harness.
Without Reserve.
HOODED SOCIABLE and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
Bay gelding, thoroughly reliable and good
Hooded cut-under sociable, with lamps and brake and harness.
SADDLE AND HARNESS MARE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
A chestnut mare, 5 years, broken to saddle and harness, and quiet near trams.
TANDEM DOGCART AND HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
A very superior tandem dogcart (English style), with wet weather covers, mats, whip, rug, &c., almost new, and set of harness.
S. S. HOODED BUGGY, HORSE, and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. H. J. Poett to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at noon,
B g, reliable in saddle and harness, subject to trial
S. S. hooded buggy, almost new
Set S. M. harness.
This is a really good turnout, and deserving of inspection.
TASMANIAN POULTRY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. G. Hill, Hobart, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS (WEDNESDAY) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock,
A choice consignment of poultry, consisting of black reds, duckwing, and pile, all bred by the late Mr. Joshua Moore, Hobart.
On account of Mr. W. CARSON, RANDWICK.
High-class Malay game fowls, bred from Mr. Carson's well-known prize-winners.
On account of Mr. J. M'INTOSH, ROCKDALE.
Bultans, white Leghorns, and colonial game, fit for show.
60 HEAD OF HORSES,
from
BREEZA.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from Messrs. Cliff Bros., of Breeza, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th August, at 3 o'clock,
30 very superior heavy draught colts
30 light draught colts and saddle horses.
The above lot of horses will be found superior to any that have left Breeza for a considerable time; and, while possessing plenty of size and strength, they are very active, and in top condition.

## Drapery, Haberdashery, &c.

COMPULSORY SALE.
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UNSOLD PORTION OF STOCK
WILL BE OFFERED FOR
SHORT TIME.
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FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY.
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THOMPSON AND GILES.
THOMPSON AND GILES.
NEXT GENERAL POST OFFICE.

OUR GREAT WINTER SALE COMMENCES TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, August 1.
DOORS OPEN 9 a.m.
HORDERN and COMPANY,
THE NEW SHOP,
486, 488, 490, GEORGE-STREET,
Next ROYAL ARCADE,
Opposite CENTRAL MARKETS.
We hold
TWO SALES
IN THE YEAR,
BEFORE THE CLOSE OF THE SUMMER AND WINTER SEASONS,
thereby
ENABLING
the
PUBLIC
to
PROCURE
FASHIONABLE GOODS
at
RIDICULOUS
PRICES.
ALL NEW GOODS,
SOUND
and
FRESH,
at
LESS
THAN HALF PRICE.
NO
OLD STOCK
ON THE PREMISES.
BARGAINS in EVERY DEPARTMENT.
COME EARLY.
BRING ALL YOUR FRIENDS.
HORDERN and COMPANY,
THE NEW SHOP,
486, 488, 490, GEORGE-STREET,
Next ROYAL ARCADE,
Opposite CENTRAL MARKETS.

HORDERN'S IS IN PITT-STREET.
We, the undersigned, hereby give NOTICE that pursuant to advertisements previously issued we have made every arrangement for
THE GRAND OPENING
TO-MORROW, TO-MORROW, TO-MORROW,
the 1st day of August,
of
a PORTION of those commodious, centrally-situated, and well-known PREMISES, familiarly spoken of as HORDERN'S IN PITT-STREET,
as
A BOOT and SHOE DEPARTMENT
A BOOT and SHOE DEPARTMENT.
A BOOT and SHOE DEPARTMENT.
We want all our customers to make it their special business to call and see us TO-MORROW. We have something really startling to show you in this department, which we would not like you to miss seeing.
Come early and have a good look round.
Your obedient servants,
HORDERN BROTHERS.
311, Pitt-street.

NEW MOIRES, all shades, showing TO-DAY.
Buckingham and Pepper, 510, George-street.
TEA COSIES, Swiss Edgings, at Sale Prices.
Buckingham and Pepper, 510, George-street.
HEAPS of BARGAINS at our SALE TO-DAY.
Buckingham and Pepper, 510, George-street.

E. WAY, Importer, 213 to 219, Pitt-street.
Special intimation from our Silk Department.
MOIRE SILKS. MOIRE SILKS.
In response to our cablegram, we have just opened, ex Iberia, direct from Lyons,
150 pieces Moire Silks. These represent the newest colourings to be worn for the coming season and for present evening wear. During our Great Sale we shall offer the above goods at
1s 3d, 1s 9d, and 1s 11½d yard,
worth double the money in London.
SURAH SILKS. SURAH SILKS.
Another desperate bargain, well worth inspection. All the newest colourings at 1s 9d per yard, at 1s 9d per yard.
NOTE.—The above being Pure Silks, the regular price for these goods is 3s 11½d per yard.
E. WAY, Importer, 213 to 219, Pitt-street.

TO-DAY, we continue
A GOOD OLD-FASHIONED SALE
in
A GOOD OLD-FASHIONED WAY,
for
A GOOD OLD-FASHIONED PURPOSE.
Yesterday was a Gala Day with us, as with our visitors, and the thousands who honoured our Palace with their company went home fully satisfied with the
GOOD OLD-FASHIONED CHARACTER
of the proceedings.
TO-DAY! TO-DAY!! TO-DAY!!!
we continue on the same lines
the
GOOD OLD-FASHIONED SALE,
so favourably inaugurated, in the same
GOOD OLD-FASHIONED WAY,
for the same
GOOD OLD-FASHIONED PURPOSE,
and we have not the slightest doubt that to-day will be, as far as a bouncing day's trade is concerned, a repetition of yesterday's, for everyone who feels inclined to "look in" will find no end of
GOOD OLD-FASHIONED BARGAINS,
Our only Address,
ANTHONY HORDERN and SONS,
PALACE EMPORIUM,
HAYMARKET (ONLY),
Universal Providers. Close to the Railway Station.

## Houses and Land for Sale.

PERSONS in SEARCH of a COTTAGE RESIDENCE CANNOT DO BETTER than INSPECT MELROSE,
a HANDSOME and FAITHFULLY-BUILT COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with slate roof, and containing DRAWING and DINING ROOMS, folding doors, bay window, 5 LARGE and LOFTY BEDROOMS, Kitchen with Stove, bathroom (shower and plunge), well-fitted pantry, TILED HEARTHS and VERANDAHS (front, side, and back), TILED WALKS, MARBLE MANTELS and FENDERS, RICH CORNICES, VENETIANS, PICTURE RODS, bells throughout, city gas and water. TITLE, TORRENS'. The GROUNDS are NICELY LAID OUT. The above is situated on a GRAND ELEVATED POSITION, commanding pretty and extensive views, which cannot be built out. Close to TRAM and TRAIN. It being COMPULSORY for the OWNER TO SELL, he MUST SACRIFICE at £975, nearly £300 UNDER VALUE. We can make TERMS very EASY IF REQUIRED.
DUFF and COLLINS,
Auctioneers, &c.,
109, Pitt-street; or
Branch Office, tram terminus, Marrickville.

COTTAGE RESIDENCE, in splendid situation, containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse, tubs and copper, tiled hearths and verandah, marble mantels, rooms and hall cornliced, on good block of land with lawn. As the owner is leaving the district he will sacrifice for £800. Terms, £50 deposit, balance as rent.
DUFF and COLLINS,
Auctioneers, &c.,
109, Pitt-street,
or
Branch Office, tram terminus, Marrickville.

PRETTY DETACHED COTTAGE RESIDENCE, bay window, containing drawing and dining rooms, folding doors, conservatory, marble mantels, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, washhouse, copper, tubs, bathroom, gas and water, electric bells, tiled hearths and verandah, slate roof, rich cornices, stable and coachhouse. Land 40ft. x 151ft. 6in. Price, £800; very easy terms. Apply
DUFF and COLLINS,
Auctioneers, &c., 109, Pitt-street, or
Branch Office, tram terminus,

## Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. W. KEIL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved NEPHEW, Henry A. Willersdorf; to move from his residence, Stanmore-road, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, for the Waverley Cemetery. BOOTS and GOMMESON, Undertakers, 168, King-street, Newtown.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. MARGARET PRENDERGAST (relict of the late Thomas Prendergast) are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, 43, Botany-street, Waterloo, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Petersham Cemetery. Wood and Co., Undertakers, 799, Geo.-st., Sydney, Balmain.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. THOMAS, JOHN, EDWIN, and JAMES PRENDERGAST are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER; to move from her late residence, 43, Botany-street, Waterloo, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Petersham Cemetery. Wood and Co., Undertakers, 799, Geo.-st., Sydney.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOMAS ARTHUR are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased beloved SON, Arthur; to move from his residence, 63, Boundary-street, Waterloo, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Presbyterian Cemetery, Rookwood. J. MEDCALF, Undertaker, Regent-street, Redfern.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. L. S. SOLOMON are respectfully requested to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, 205, Albion-street, Surry Hills, TO-MORROW (Thursday) MORNING, at 8.30, for the Necropolis.

## Municipal Elections.

BOROUGH OF WOOLLAHRA.

EXTRAORDINARY VACANCY.

DOUBLE BAY WARD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following gentlemen have been duly nominated as Aldermen of the Double Bay Ward of this borough:—
DAVID DAVIS, Builder and Contractor, Ocean and Cooper streets, Double Bay
DENNIS GEORGE PEEL, Merchant, Undercliff, New South Head-road.

There being a greater number of aldermen nominated than required to be elected, a poll will be taken on TUESDAY NEXT, the 6th August, between the hours of 8 o'clock a.m. and 5 p.m.

POLLING PLACES:
Council-chambers, Ocean-street
Mrs. Spahn's Cottage, William-street, Double Bay
A Booth in Mona Paddock, corner of Darling Point and New South Head-road
Victoria Arcade, at corner of Elizabeth-street, city.

N.B.—No person will be permitted to vote whose rates are unpaid.

JNO. C. NEILD,
Mayor and Returning Officer.

Council-chambers,
Woollahra, July 30, 1889.

## Calls and Dividends on Shares.

THE SUNNY CORNER SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

FORFEITURE OF SHARES—FINAL NOTICE.
All Shares will be Forfeited upon which the third call of one shilling per share, due on the 15th instant, shall be unpaid on the fifth August next.
By Order of the Board.
FRANCIS W. KING,
Secretary.
2, O'Connell-street, Sydney,
July 29, 1889.

BROKEN HILL SOUTH SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL (No. 8) of One Shilling per Share has been made on Contributing Shares in the above Company, and is payable at the offices, 29, O'Connell-street, Sydney, on or before FRIDAY, the 16th of August, 1889.
By order of the Board,
J. J. WESTON,
Manager.
Sydney, 13th July, 1889.

N.B.—When remitting Shareholders are requested to give the name of registered holders, and to set forth the progressive numbers, also to add exchange on cheques drawn on banks other than Sydney banks.

BROKEN HILL SOUTH SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

SCRIPHOLDERS who have not paid No. 7 CALL, which was due on or before the 6th of July, are informed that unless payment of the amount—viz., One Shilling per Share, with interest, is made on or before the 1st of AUGUST, 1889, the Shares in respect thereof will be liable to forfeiture without further notice.
By order of the Board,
J. J. WESTON,
Manager.
29, O'Connell-street, Sydney,
22nd July, 1889.

THE GLEN MORRISON GOLD PROSPECTING COMPANY, No-Liability.

NOTICE OF CALL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors of the above Company did on the 29th day of June, 1889, make a CALL of five pounds per share on the original twenty contributing shares, payable to me in terms of the Act on WEDNESDAY, the 14th day of August next, at the Registered Office of the Company, Walcha, N. S. W.
By order of the Directors,
JNO. MAULE HILL,
Legal Manager.
Walcha, June 29, 1889.

ROYAL STANDARD GOLD-MINING COMPANY, No Liability.

Notice is hereby given that the Directors have this day declared a DIVIDEND (the sixth) of Sixpence per share, payable at the Company's Office, Post Office chambers, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st instant.
The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 29th to the 31st instant, both inclusive, and scrip to carry dividend must be lodged before the 29th instant.
By order of the Board,
G. S. BUZACOTT,
Manager.
Post Office-chambers,
23rd July, 1889.

## Business Announcements.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned, carrying on business in Rose-street, Darlington, as engineers and ironfounders, under the name of POPE, MAHER, and SON, have this day admitted Mr. JOSEPH GERMAN, Engineer, of Spring-street, Sydney, as a PARTNER in our said business, which will in future be carried on under the name of POPE, MAHER, and GERMAN. Signed—THOS POPE, WILLIAM MAHER. July 19th, 1889.
My business as Consulting Engineer and Machinery Agent will in future be carried on at the above address.
JOSEPH GERMAN.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.—The offices of the Waratah Coal Company have been REMOVED to the new buildings, Exchange-corner. Entrance, 63, Pitt-street.
WM. CLARK, Secretary.
20th July, 1889.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
PHILIP H. SULLIVAN, Solicitor, &c., has REMOVED to more commodious offices, No. 143, King-street.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
E. MARIETTE wishes to inform his numerous friends and customers that, having sold his retail business in Park-street, he will still carry on his Wholesale Business as usual at 380, Castlereagh-st. South, opposite Exhibition Building.

ELECTRIC BELTS.—Pulvermacher's, the only genuine. Pamph. free. Frost & Shipham, 474-587, Geo.-s.

## Business Cards.

A CARD.—MAPPIN BROS., Plain and Fancy PAPER-BOX Manufacturers, 75, Bathurst-st. West.

A. J. RILEY AND COMPANY,
IMPORTERS and INDENT MERCHANTS,
390, GEORGE-STREET, Sydney,
and
10, Coleman-street, London.
Indents executed on most favourable terms.

A CARD.
T. S. HUNTLEY, Property Agent and Valuator, undertakes also the arrangement of partnerships, sale of businesses, &c.; coal properties a speciality. References of the highest character. Nothing but genuine things that will bear the closest scrutiny undertaken. Address 18, Post Office-chambers, Sydney.

A CARD.—The FIRST PRIZE and Highest Award for Mechanical Dentistry at the SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, the N.S.W. Agricultural Exhibition Medal for 3 years successively, the London International Medal, and the Philadelphia Centennial Medal for Artificial Teeth, have been gained by Mr JOHN SPENCER against all competitors. PAINLESS EXTRACTION by the aid of Nitrous Oxide Gas.
Mr. JOHN SPENCER, 44, Wynyard-square North.

CARPETS BEATEN, improved methods, lowest charges. John Russell, Labour Bazaar, 11, Glebe-road.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. T. Trafford, Surgeon Dentist, 157, Elizabeth-st. Prof. hours, 9 till 5, 6.30 to 8 p.m.

DR. W. T. BECKETT (Graduate Philadelphia Dental College and Hospital of Oral Surgery), Dentist, Nithsdale, 167, Liverpool-street, Hyde Park.
N.B.—The conservative treatment of the natural organs a primary consideration.
Teeth permanently stopped with gold, &c.
Painless operations by the aid of Nitrous Oxide Gas, &c.
Artificial Teeth upon gold, vulcanite, &c.

HEADSTONES, Monuments, Tablets, Fonts, etc. H. Taylor and Son, Elizabeth and Goulburn streets.

JOHN KENT, Public Accountant and Financier, P. O.-chambers, 114, Pitt-street.—Advice and assistance on financial and general business. Partnerships and dissolutions arranged. Difficult and complicated accounts adjusted. Estates managed. Loans negotiated.

MEDICAL EXPERT,
CONSULTATION BY LETTER.
Fee, £1.
Dr. L. L. SMITH,
182, Collins-street East, Melbourne.
Established 34 years in the colony.
The only legally qualified Practitioner advertising and registered under the Medical Board of Victoria, and practising the last 35 years.

NO. 112 (late 100), HUNTER-STREET EAST.
DENTISTRY.—KAIN and JOSEPHSON, Dentists in General, are now prepared to undertake all ordinary as well as the most difficult cases in Dentistry. A trial will convince the most fastidious.

R. BURGIS, Tailor, 348, George-street, near Post Office, and late of Pitt-street.

THE LADIES' Dining Rooms, separate entrance and lavatory, Temperance Hall, Pitt-st. Dinner, 1s; tea, 9d.

## Meetings.

LINNEAN SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
The Ordinary Monthly MEETING of this Society will be held at the Linnean Hall, Elizabeth Bay, TO-DAY, WEDNESDAY, July 31st, at 8 o'clock p.m. The following Papers are announced to be read:—1. "Description of a new species of Iodis, with remarks on Pielus Imperialis (Olliff);" by T. P. Lucas. 2. "The examination of Kinos as an aid in the diagnosis of Eucalypts," by J. H. Maiden. 3. "On new species of Lampyridæ;" by A. S. Olliff. 4. "On the Rhopalocera of Mount Kosciusko, N. S. W.;" by A. S. Olliff. 5. "Note on the fructification of a fossil fern (Phlebopteris);" by R. Etheridge. 6. "Note on the Bibliography of Lord Howe Island;" by R. Etheridge.
WILLIAM MACLEAY, Hon.
F. P. RAMSAY, Secs.

INDUSTRIAL BLIND INSTITUTION, BOOMERANG-STREET.
The ANNUAL MEETING will take place in the Hall of the Institution on MONDAY, 5th August, at 4 o'clock p.m., when the Report of the Committee for the past year will be presented.
His Excellency the Governor has consented to preside.
Notice is hereby given that it will, at that meeting, be proposed to alter the 6th Rule, so as to increase the number of the Committee by three members.
S. SINCLAIR,
Hon. Secretary.
20th July, 1889.

A MEETING of Free Traders will be held at Cervetto's Hotel Hall, Enfield, on THURSDAY EVENING, at 7.45, to form a Branch Association. Several well-known public men will speak.

NO. 1, L. O. L., MEETS in the Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street, THIS (Wednesday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock. Important business. Every member requested to attend. Visitors cordially invited. A. J. Pring, secretary.

SAFETY CYCLING CLUB.
A MEETING of Riders of Safety Bicycles and others who intend to join the above club will be held at the Australian Economic Association's rooms, Equitable Chambers, corner of Pitt and Park streets, at 8 p.m. sharp, on
FRIDAY, 2nd AUGUST,
to adopt rules, elect office-bearers, &c.

SYDNEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.
The Annual General MEETING of the members of the Sydney Chamber of Commerce will be held
THIS DAY, 31st July 1889,
at 3 o'clock p.m.
Business—To receive Report of the Committee for 1888-89.
To elect Committee for 1889-90,
And to transact such other business as may be brought forward in accordance with rules.
HENRY CHAS. MITCHEL,
Secretary.

N. S. W. MONT DE PIETE DEPOSIT AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited,
74 (late 100), Castlereagh-street.
GENERAL MEETING.
NOTICE is hereby given that a General MEETING of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held on WEDNESDAY, the 31st instant, on the Company's premises, as above, at 12 noon.
By order of the Board of Directors,
LEWIS LEVY,
General Manager.

BUSINESS:
To receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet.
To elect two Directors in the room of John Hardie, Esq., and Edwin Chisholm, Esq., whose term of office expired by effluxion of time. Both are eligible for re-election, and offer themselves accordingly.
To elect two Auditors in the room of Messrs. J. H. Davies and Melbourne Green, whose term of office expires by effluxion of time, and offer themselves for re-election.
And to transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.
Sydney, July 20, 1889.

HUDSON BROTHERS, Limited.
The Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders in this Company will be held in the Hall of the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 15th day of August next, at 11 a.m.
BUSINESS:
To receive the Balance-sheet and the Directors' Report for the half-year ended on 30th June, 1889, and to transact any other business which may be brought forward in conformity with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board.
JOHN J. WOOD, Secretary.
No. 2, O'Connell-street,
25th July, 1889.

SYDNEY MEAT-PRESERVING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-seventh Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Head Offices, United-chambers, George and Hunter streets, Sydney, THIS DAY, at noon, to receive the Directors' Report and Balance Sheet to the 30th ultimo; to elect two Directors in the room of the Hon. Henry Mort, M.L.C., and the Hon. G. H. Cox, M.L.C., who retire in accordance with the provisions of the Deed of Settlement and are eligible for re-election; to appoint two Auditors in the room of John Williams, Esq., deceased, and Edward Wrench Esq., who retires by rotation and is ineligible for re-election; and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting, in conformity with the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board of Directors.
JOHN E. C. MILES,
Secretary.
United-chambers, George and Hunter streets,
Sydney, 31st July, 1889.

The Hon. HENRY MORT, M.L.C., and the Hon. G. H. COX, M.L.C., duly-qualified Shareholders, have given the requisite notices that they are Candidates for election as Directors; and L. F. BAIN, Esq., and J. H. NEWMAN, Esq., have given notice that they are Candidates for the vacant Auditorships.

N. S. W. CO-OPERATIVE ICE AND COLD STORAGE COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General MEETING of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's office, Blackstone chambers, O'Connell-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 14th proximo, at 2.15 p.m., to pass the following special resolutions, viz.:—
That the capital of the company shall be increased in accordance with the Articles of Association, to ten thousand pounds (£10,000), by the issue of four thousand (4000) new shares of one pound each.
That from clause 97, Articles of Association, the first word, "three," shall be expunged, and the word "two" substituted therefor; allowing of two directors forming a quorum at directors' meetings.
By order of the Board.
D. ROBERT,
Manager.
Sydney, 30th July, 1889.

MUTUAL LIFE ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALASIA.
Established 1869, and Incorporated by Act of Parliament.
NOTICE is hereby given that the YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of Members of the above Association will be held at the Principal Office, George and Wynyard streets, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 30th August next, at 3 p.m., to receive the TWENTIETH ANNUAL REPORT of the Directors, being for the year ended 30th June, 1889; to ELECT TWO DIRECTORS in the room of the Hon. W. J. Trickett, M.L.C., and Russell Barton, Esq., who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election; to ELECT AN AUDITOR in the room of Mr. A. E. Harper, who retires in accordance with Bylaw 24, but who is eligible for re-election; and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the bylaws.
By order of the Board,
J. C. REMINGTON,
General Manager.
Sydney, July 24, 1889.

The Hon. W. J. TRICKETT, M.L.C., and RUSSELL BARTON, Esq., have given the Notices required by Bylaw 6, that they are CANDIDATES for re-election as Directors.
Mr. A. E. HARPER has given the necessary notice of his CANDIDATURE for re-election as Auditor.
J. C. REMINGTON,
General Manager.
Sydney, July 30, 1889.

LAND COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA, Limited.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
The Fourth Annual General MEETING will be held at the Head Office, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 20th August next, at 11 a.m.
BUSINESS:
To deal with the Balance-sheet and Report.
To declare a Dividend for the past half-year.
To Elect Auditors for the present year.
To Repeal Clauses 9, 10, 12, 14, 22, 96, 115, 123, and 127 of the Articles of Association, and add new clauses in conformity with the requirements of the Secretary of the London Stock Exchange.
To deal with any other business which may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Court of Directors.
G. BAKER WALKER,
General Manager.

BULLI COAL-MINING COMPANY.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifty-fifth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Proprietors of the Bulli Coal-mining Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, No. 17, Bridge-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of July, 1889, at 3 p.m. precisely, to receive the Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended 30th June, 1889; to elect a Director in the room of Chas. H. Myles, Esq., who retires by rotation, but who is eligible for re-election; to elect two Auditors in the place of John Flood Paige and Frederick Broughton, Esquires, who retire by effluxion of time; also to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the deed of settlement.
By order of the Board.
GEO. HAMILTON,
Manager.
Offices: 17, Bridge-street, Sydney,
July 9th, 1889.
N.B.—Chas. H. Myles, Esq., has given the requisite notice of his candidature for re-election.

MARITOTO GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of the Maritoto Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited, will be held in the long room of the Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company, No. 120, Pitt-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, at 3 p.m., to receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet to the 30th June last; and to transact any other business that may be brought forward in conformity with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board of Directors.
J. T. DAVENPORT,
Legal Manager.
Moore-street, Sydney,
July 31, 1889.

THE ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, AND LAND COMPANY, Limited.
The Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's Offices, No. 24, Hunter-street, on TUESDAY, the 6th of August, 1889, at 12 o'clock noon.
BUSINESS:
To receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet.
To elect two Directors in the room of C. C. Skarratt, Esq., J.P., and J. Pope, Esq., J.P., who retire by rotation.
To elect two Auditors for the ensuing year in the place of W. H. Chater, Esq., and Henry Francis, Esq.
To transact any other business that may be brought forward in accordance with the Articles of Association.
Candidates for the office of Director must give notice fourteen days previous to the 6th proximo.
Candidates for the office of Auditor must give notice seven days previous to the 6th proximo.
BENJAMIN JAMES,
Manager.
Sydney, July 19, 1889.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED, in accordance with the Articles of Association, during the fourteen days immediately preceding the General Meeting. Messrs. John Pope, J.P., and Henry Burrows have given notice of candidature as Directors; and Messrs. W. H. Chater and H. F. Francis as Auditors.

THE ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, AND LAND COMPANY, Limited.
An Extraordinary General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at No. 24, Hunter-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 6th August, 1889, at 12.30 p.m.
BUSINESS:
To consider certain proposed Alterations in the Memorandum and Articles of Association.
BENJAMIN JAMES,
Manager.
Sydney, July 19, 1889.

THE MANAR GOLD-SLUICING COMPANY, Limited.
The Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 2, Exchange, Gresham-street, THIS DAY, 31st July, 1889, at 3 o'clock p.m.
BUSINESS:
To receive Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ending 30th June, 1889, and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting.
By order of the Board.
M. BAYLEY, Jun.,
Manager.

NORTH-EAST MOUNT MORGAN GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Company's Office, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of July, 1889, at 4 p.m., to receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended 30th June, 1889; to elect three Directors in lieu of Messrs. W. F. Richardson, E. C. Batt, and C. R. Williams, and two Auditors in lieu of Messrs J. B. C. Miles and H. Prince, all of whom retire by rotation, but, being eligible, are candidates for re-election; also, to elect two Directors in succession to Messrs. B. Backhouse and John Coghlan, who have resigned; and to transact such other business as may be brought forward in conformity with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board.
G. S. BUZACOTT,
Secretary.
Post Office-chambers,
15th July, 1889.

TUENA QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.
The Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, Hamilton-street, off Hunter-street, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of July, 1889, at noon.
BUSINESS:
To receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet to 30th June, 1889, and to transact any other business which may be brought forward in accordance with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board.
ALFRED C. JOHNSON,
Legal Manager.
Sydney, 19th July, 1889.

MOUNT COSTIGAN LEAD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE.
A MEETING of the Shareholders in the above Company who have received notice from the Official Liquidator will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, on FRIDAY NEXT, 2nd August, 1889, at noon.
BUSINESS:
To take into consideration their position from a legal point of view; and also to hear what suggestions may be made with regard to the future prospects of the mine.
All shareholders are requested to attend.
By order of the Directors.
A. A. GALLAGHER.
Post Office-chambers,
Pitt-street, Sydney, 27th July, 1889.

THE STOCKTON COAL COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Half-yearly GENERAL MEETING will be held at the Exchange, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 31st July, 1889, at 11 a.m., to receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the past half-year, and to transact any other ordinary business.
By order of the Board.
J. J. WESTON,
Manager.
Sydney, 15th July, 1889.
N.B.—The Transfer Books will be closed from the 24th to the 31st July inclusive.

THE STOCKTON COAL COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING will be held at the termination of the General Meeting, to pass resolutions for increasing the capital of the Company and for reducing the Share qualification of the Directors.
By order of the Board.
J. J. WESTON,
Manager.
Sydney, 15th July, 1889.

ADELINE G. M. COMPANY, FAIRFIELD, Limited.
The Sixth Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's office, 40, Sydney Arcade, THIS DAY, at 3 o'clock p.m., to receive the Report of the Directors, and Balance-sheet to June 30, 1889, and to transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association. By order of the Board.
ARTHUR J. DAVIS, Secretary.

## Military Notices.

Naval Brigade Office, Sydney,
July 30th, 1889.
THE following copy of a letter which has been received from MAJOR-GENERAL EDWARDS, C.B., in relation to his inspection on SATURDAY last, is hereby published for general information.
By command.
(Signed) GEO. S. LINDEMAN, R.N.,
Commander.

"Government House,
"Sydney, N. S. W.,
"29th July, 1889.
"Dear Captain Hixson,—
"Will you do me the kindness to tell the officers and men of the Naval Forces how much I appreciated their very fine turn out on Saturday; and that I consider it a great personal compliment that they came in such force. I beg to congratulate you upon commanding such a body of men, worthy in every way to take their place alongside the Royal Navy.
"Believe me,
"Yours sincerely,
"J. BEVAN EDWARDS.
"Captain F. HIXSON, Commanding Naval Forces."

NO. 1 BATTERY V. A.—FATIGUE PARADE, Victoria Barracks, THURSDAY, the 1st August, 7.30 p.m.
HENRY CHAPMAN,
Captain Commanding.

NAVAL ART. VOLUNTEERS.—Wanted, RECRUITS. Apply Tuesday and Friday, between 8 and 9 p.m., Fort Macquarie Drillshed.
G. S. BOSANQUET, R.N.,
Commanding Officer.

## Municipal Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF BALMAIN.
LEVELS OF DARLING-STREET.
TRAMLINE.
NOTICE is hereby given that the plans, showing the proposed permanent levels of the Balmain Tramline along Darling-street are now open for public inspection during office hours, in the Town Hall, Darling-street, and will so remain for fourteen days from the date hereof, after which date no objection to the levels will be entertained.
Objections (if any) must be made in writing.
H. B. MACINTOSH,
Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Balmain,
July 27, 1889.

BOROUGH OF THE GLEBE.
RECOVERY OF RATES.
NOTICE is hereby given that Legal Proceedings will be taken for the recovery of all outstanding rates.
No further notice will be given.
T. D. GLASSCOCK,
Council Clerk.
Council Clerk's Office, Town-hall, Glebe,
July 24, 1889.

BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.
NOTICE is hereby given that O'BRIEN-STREET, between Georgiana-street and South Head Old-road, is BLOCKED during construction of culvert.
ROBERT T. ORR,
Council Clerk.
Borough Council-chambers,
Waverley, July 27, 1889.

## Miscellaneous.

ACCOUNTS recovered through solicitor; no charge unless successful. Box 1661, General Post Office.

FOR SALE, SHOP FITTINGS, suit any business. M. Kurtz, job warch'man, 490, Kent st., nr. Bathurst-st.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING, 100 p.c. over all dealers. Letters attended. Mr. and Mrs. Barnet, 121, Geo.-st. W.

LEFT-OFF Clothing, Boots, Sundries bought, all descript. Letters Mr. or Mrs. Gubbins, 85, George-st. W.

FOR SALE, Glass CASE, large, bargain. 112, King-street, Newtown.

FOR Left-off Clothing J. Regan, 85, Macquarie-st. S., gives the highest price (cash). Letters attended to.

IRON SAFES and Breech-loading Guns at half wholesale cost. N. Herman, 148, Pitt-street.

WANTED, Earth Removed, about 500 loads, really good garden soil. 156, Glenmore-road.

## Produce, Provisions, &c.

M. BOYLSON and SONS, Millers and Grain Merchants, have on SALE (their own make) superfine Household and Seconds FLOUR, in sacks and quarters; also, DUNN'S CELEBRATED ADELAIDE HUNGARIAN ECLIPSE ROLLER FLOUR, Wheat Meal, Sharps, Pollard, Bran, Cow Meal, Chicken Wheat, Cracked Maize, MILL DUST, and SWEEPINGS for Pig Feed. Head Office: ALBION MILLS, Little Albion-street, Surry Hills.

FACTORY BUTTER.—20 factories—Kangaloon, Lion, Star, & Kangaroo brands, wh'sale. Hawken & Vance.

ON SALE, 500 bags C. Hd. Potatoes, 300 bgs. Swede Turnips, Maize, B. Dust, Oats. C. B. Bond, 94, Sussex-st.

BUTTER, Butter, Butter.—For SALE, cheap, 50 kegs prime New Zealand BUTTER, just landed, in lots to suit purchasers. Apply Storeman, Bennett's, Sussex-street, next to Melliday's.

MOSSMAN'S BAY—Lovely, Picturesque, and most popular Marine Suburb of Sydney.—BOWDEN'S SUBDIVISION, well situated, commanding lovely views, and near ferry, to be sold SATURDAY, August 10, on the Ground.
CLARKE and M'INTYRE, Auctioneers.

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BY young Man, as Manager of Country Livery Yard, good refs. Apply R. Turkfield, 19, King-st., Newtown.

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WANTED, WASHING by day or at home. Apply 82, Rose-street, Darlington.

WANTED, by respectable young person, Situation as Gen. Servant, Ashfield pref. L. D., Stanmore P. O.

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WIDOW, with one child, seeks general servant's Situation in country. 47, College-st., Balmain.

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WANTED, a light SITUATION for a young GIRL, in a gentleman's family, age 16. Apply F. L. Flanagan, Cemetery gates, Waverley.

WANTED, by thoroughly respectable Person, SITUATION, as Working Housekeeper, town or country; open a week; references. 4, Park View-terrace, Waverley-road, Woollahra.

WANTED, by educated English person, a Situation as Housekeeper or any position of trust, is domesticated and good needlewoman, age 32, 10 years' reference, country preferred. M. B., 723, George-street, Sydney.

WANTED, by steady respectable Man, EMPLOYMENT in yard, store, or warehouse; could assist books if required, good knowledge of grocery; good references. Felix, 16, John-street, Woollahra.

WANTED SITUATION by a young Lady, active and thoroughly competent, as Housekeeper or Lady Help. Good English and colonial references. Care of Mrs. Murdock, 452, Oxford-street, Paddington.

YOUNG Lady wants PLACE, to assist housework, fond of children. Anxious, Newtown Post-office.

YOUNG Girl wants SITUATION as general Servant or C. and L. Gladstone Bakery; Cooper-st., Wav.

YOUNG Man, garden, groom, drive, milk, excellent references. W. C., Paddington Post Office.

YOUNG Man wants Employment, attend horse, buggy, used garden. C. Driver, 4, Johnstone-st., Glebe.

YOUNG Man seeks Situation Collector, or Place of Trust, £10 security. References. W., Herald.

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A COOK and Laundress, must be a good cook, references. Mrs. Inglis, Addington, 34, Macleay-st.

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A GENERAL SERVANT wanted, three in family. Myrniong, Glebe Point-road.

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A GOOD NEEDLEWOMAN wanted, who can make dresses. The Home, 25, Clarence-street.

A HOUSE and P. M. wanted. W. Housekeeper and General Servants. Miss Hall's Registry, 118, C'reagh-st.

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A SET Gold Medal Artificial Teeth, £5; gas daily. J. I. Marshall, dentist, 410, George-street only.

AT Ladies' Agency.—Seven young Generals, French Children's Maid, at once. 114, top Hunter-street.

AT 62, Hunter-street, Victoria Institute.—Wanted, General SERVANT. Interview with lady 10.30.

AT Mrs. Sheppard's, 116, Bathurst-street.—C. and L., H. Ps., handy Needlewomen, Nurses, Child. Ns., &c.

AT the Home, 83, Market-st.—Wanted, M. Couples, Butchers, useful Men, Boys, and female Servants.

AT Miss Butler's, 112, Market-st.—Wanted, smart Lad, for hotel; also Lad for station, milk and drive.

A USEFUL young GIRL wanted, servant kept. 4, Carrington-terrace, 669, Dowling-street, Moore Park.

A USEFUL GIRL, 14, to mind children and assist; sleep at home. 70, Botany-street, Moore Park.

A YOUNG Girl as NURSE, for 2 children. Mrs. R. Scarlett, Wycombe-road, Neutral Bay.

A YOUNG Woman wanted as Cook and Laundress. Mrs. Cape, Hazelmere, Edgecliffe-rd., Wool'hra, 9 to 2.

A YOUNG HOUSEMAID wanted, 3 in family, references. Mrs. Hall, Melora, Bondi-road, Waverley.

A YOUNG Girl as General SERVANT wanted. Boro., Croydon street, Petersham.

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A COMPETENT Nursery GOVERNESS (Visiting) required for two children, ages 6½ and 5. 1, Radford-terrace, Brown-street, Paddington.

AT 62, Hunter-street, Victoria Institute.—Wanted, respectable young Person as NURSE, young children; good wages. 10 this morning.

A THOROUGHLY experienced Working HOUSEKEEPER, C.E., for Institution; references indispensable. Apply before 1 o'clock, Miss Edwards, Braemah, 75, Womerah-avenue, Darlinghurst.

AT Mrs. Mack's Select Reg., 153, William-street.—Wanted, young Cook, H. and P., same house; G. S., Darlinghurst, 2 in family, 15s; C. and L., Ryde, 16s, &c. Always best situations at this office.

AT 108, Bathurst-st., Gov. Institute.—Wanted, exp. Cook, best hotel, 50s, apply early; 25s, city; 20s, North Shore; M. Couple, station, £80, groom, milk, useful, wife c. l., Dubbo; useful Boy, 9s.

AT Miss Butler's, 112, Market-st.—Wanted, H. Maid and Laundress, station, 17s; Cook and L., station, 17s 6d, small fam.; H. Maid, assist bar, 15s; several Cooks and Laundresses G. S., H. P. Maids, useful Girls, Nurses.

A YOUTH wanted for Boot Merchant's office as Invoice Clerk, age between 16 and 19 years. Apply, stating salary required, in own handwriting, to Invoice Clerk, Box 285, G. P. O.

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WANTED, strong GIRL as General. 18, Dowling-street, Moore Park, near Cleveland-street.

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WANTED, young General SERVANT. Apply after 10, No. 22, Ridge-street, Moore Park.

WANTED, LAD, to sweep and cleanse factory throughout regularly. John Sands.

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